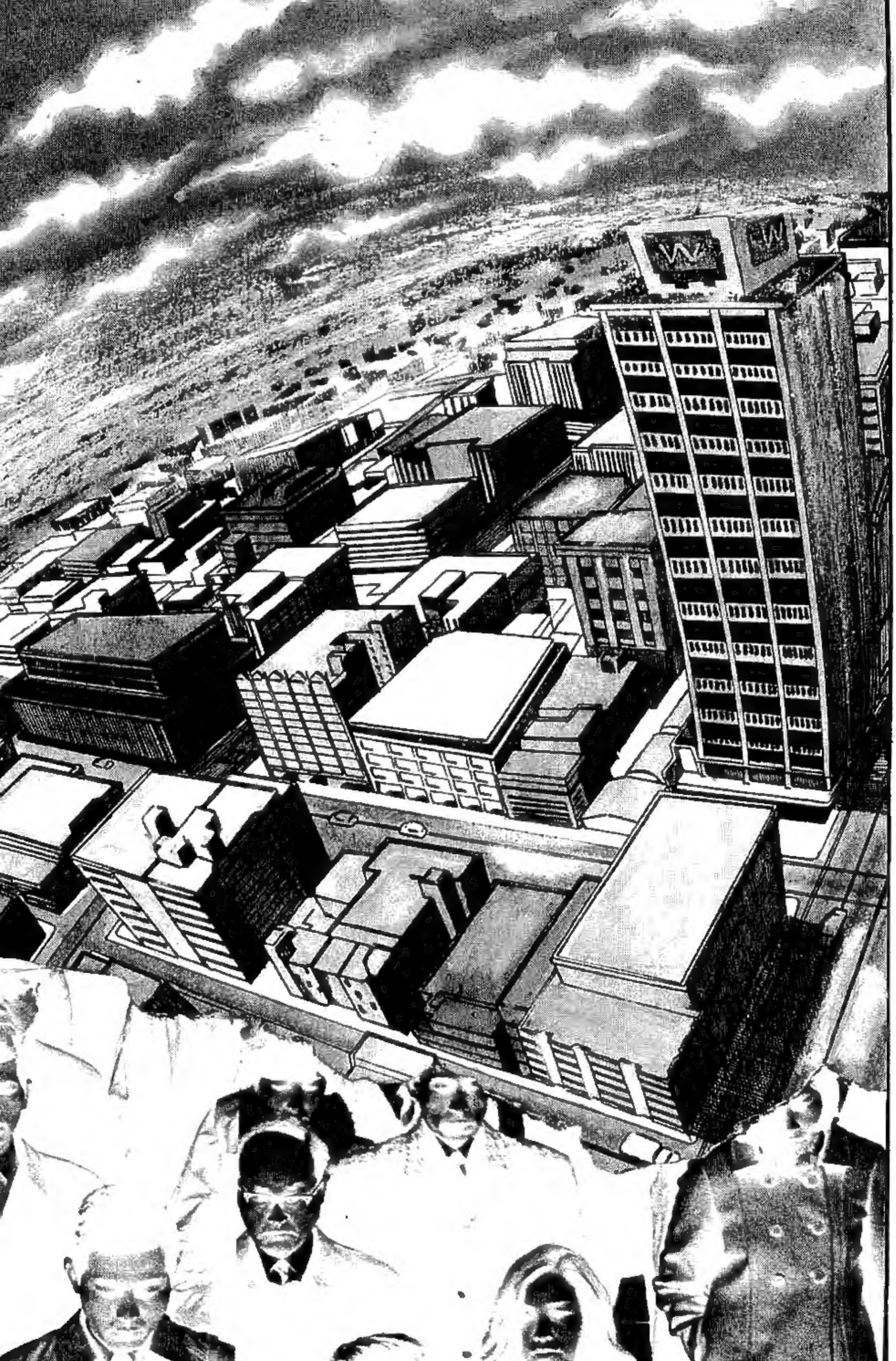
Chapter 3:
A Hero Too Strong

BUILDINGS... BUILDINGS...
THIS CITY'S FULL OF BUILDINGS
WITH NO GAPS BETWEEN THEM...
HERE, MANY DIFFERENT PEOPLE
LIVE CROWDED TOGETHER.



JAPAN PRO WRESTLING CONFERENCE

THIS IS 110!

COME TO THE JAPAN PRO WRESTLING CONFERENCE!

WE HAVE AN EMERGENCY!

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YES, HE'S A FOREIGN WRESTLER AND HE APPEARS TO BE DANGEROUS.

WE DON'T KNOW WHEN HE CAME TO JAPAN, BUT HE JUST SUDDENLY SHOWED UP...

HE WON'T GET AWAY!

HE MUST'VE NOTICED THAT WE CALLED THE POLICE!

HE'S GONE! THE KANGAROO RAN AWAY!

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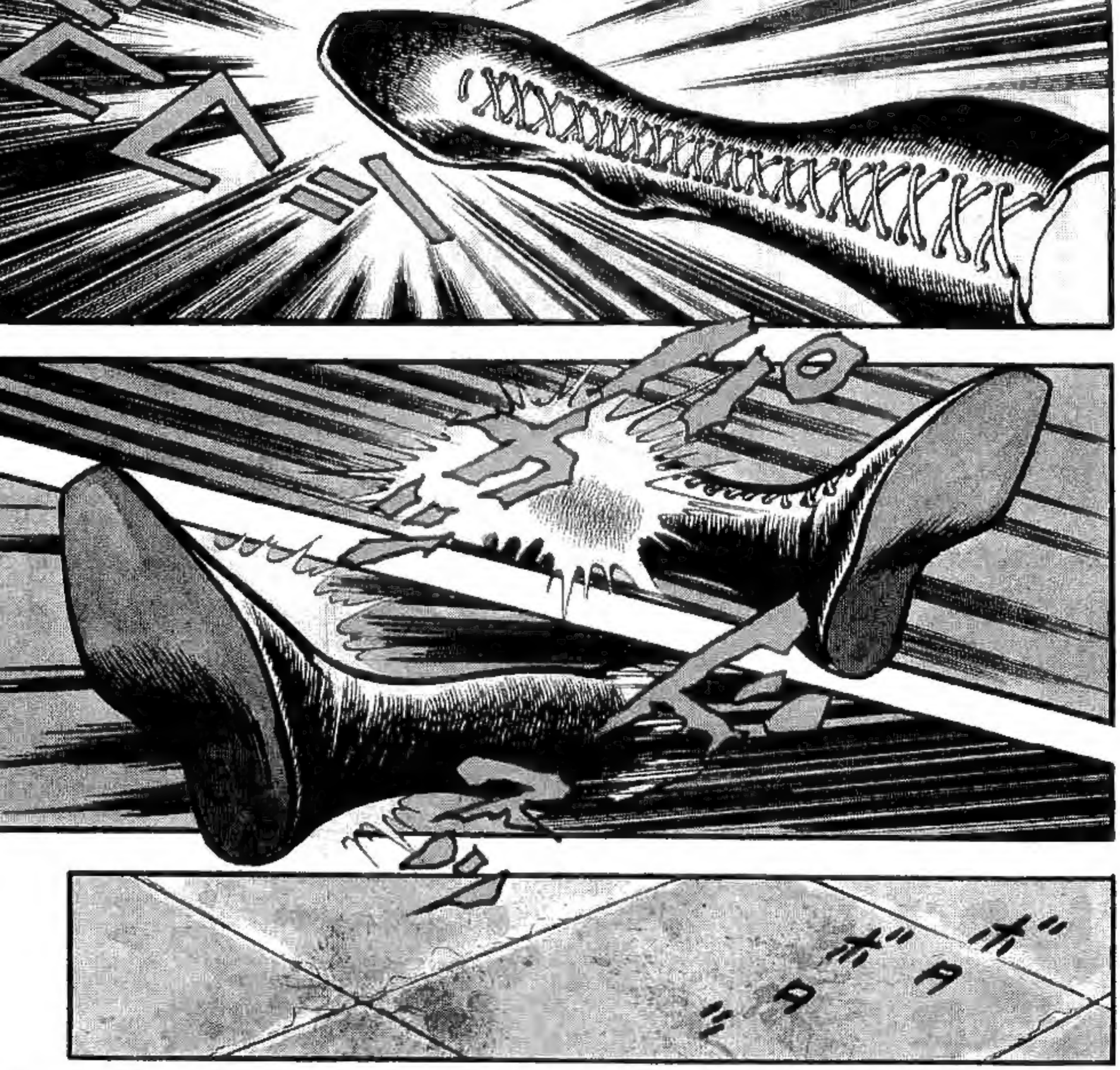
I'LL NEVER GET CAUGHT BY YOU!

NO!

IT SHOULD BE FINE IF WE SEND THIS MANY WRESTLERS AFTER HIM..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THAT'S TOO CRAZY! IT'S FIVE-ON-ONE...

AMAZING! IT'S A LOT MORE INTENSE THAN WATCHING IT ON TV!

IT'S A FIGHT BETWEEN WRESTLERS!

WHAT'S GOING ON!?

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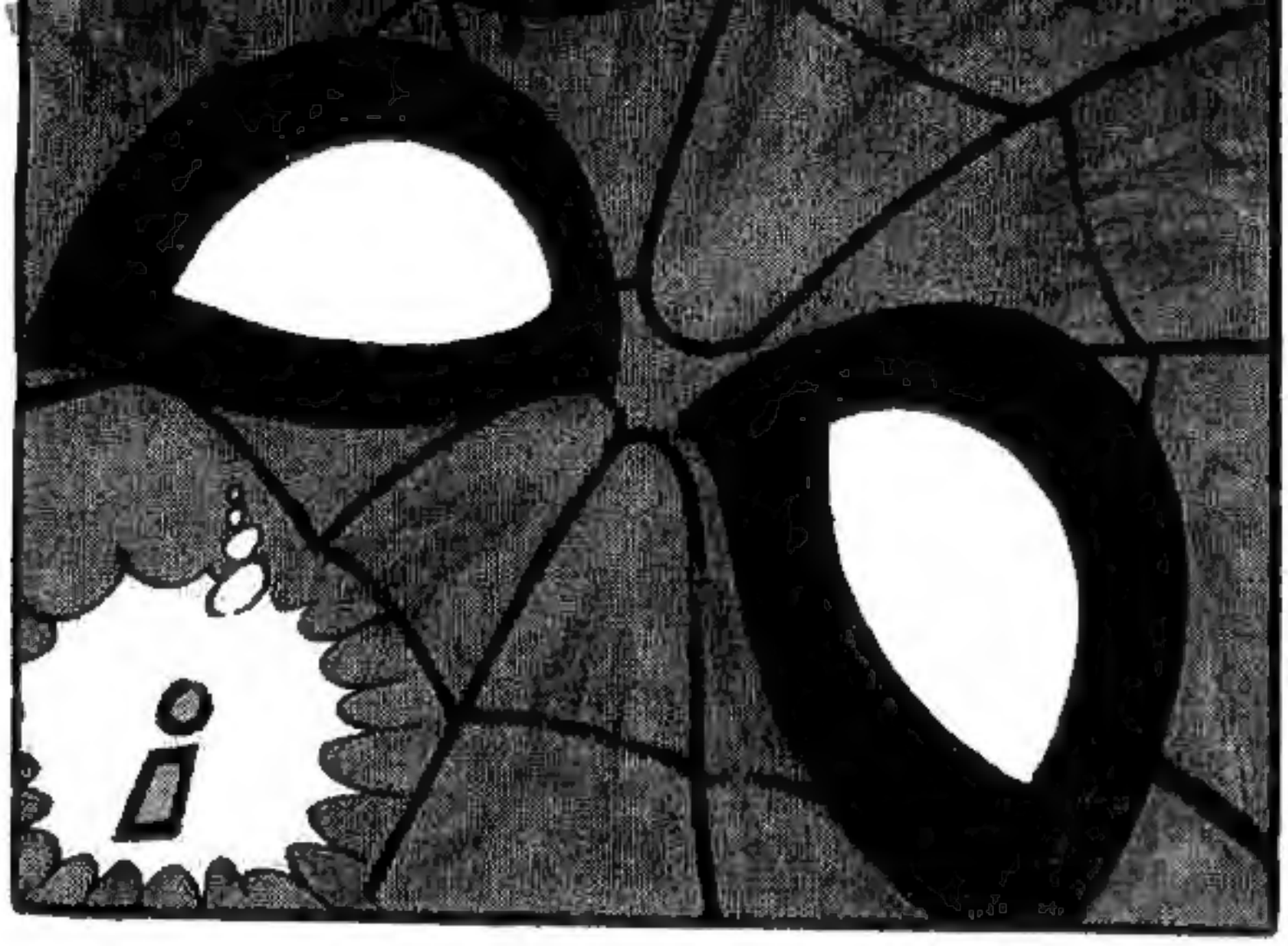
...OR HE'LL BE KILLED!

SOMEONE BETTER STOP THEM...

H-HE'S DONE FOR...



UWAAAUGH!

WHO'S INTERFERING WITH US?

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IT'S SPIDER-MAN!

WHAT!?

...ARE YOU TRYING TO KILL THIS MAN?

HEY, GUYS...

WE WERE THE ONES WHO WERE GETTING OUR ASSES HANDED TO US BY HIS KICKS!

URRGH...

W-WE WERE...

THE ONLY BLOOD ON HIM IS OURS!

LOOK AT HIM! HE'S PERFECTLY FINE!

THAT'S IMPOSS-IBLE!

WHAT!?

HUH?

IS

WAAUGH! HE'S GETTING AWAY WITH SOME CRAZY JUMPS!

HE'S A DANGEROUS GUY THAT CAN KILL PEOPLE WITHOUT A SECOND THOUGHT!

WHAT'RE WE SUPPOSED TO DO!?

A MURDEROUS WRESTLER KNOWN AS THE KANGAROO...

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HE'S A VILLAIN THAT'S WANTED ALL OVER AMERICA!

HE WAS EXPELLED FROM THE AMERICAN PRO WRESTLING ASSOCIATION BECAUSE HE WAS SO VIOLENT!

DAMMIT!

I BETTER CATCH HIM QUICK, OR THINGS COULD GET DANGEROUS!

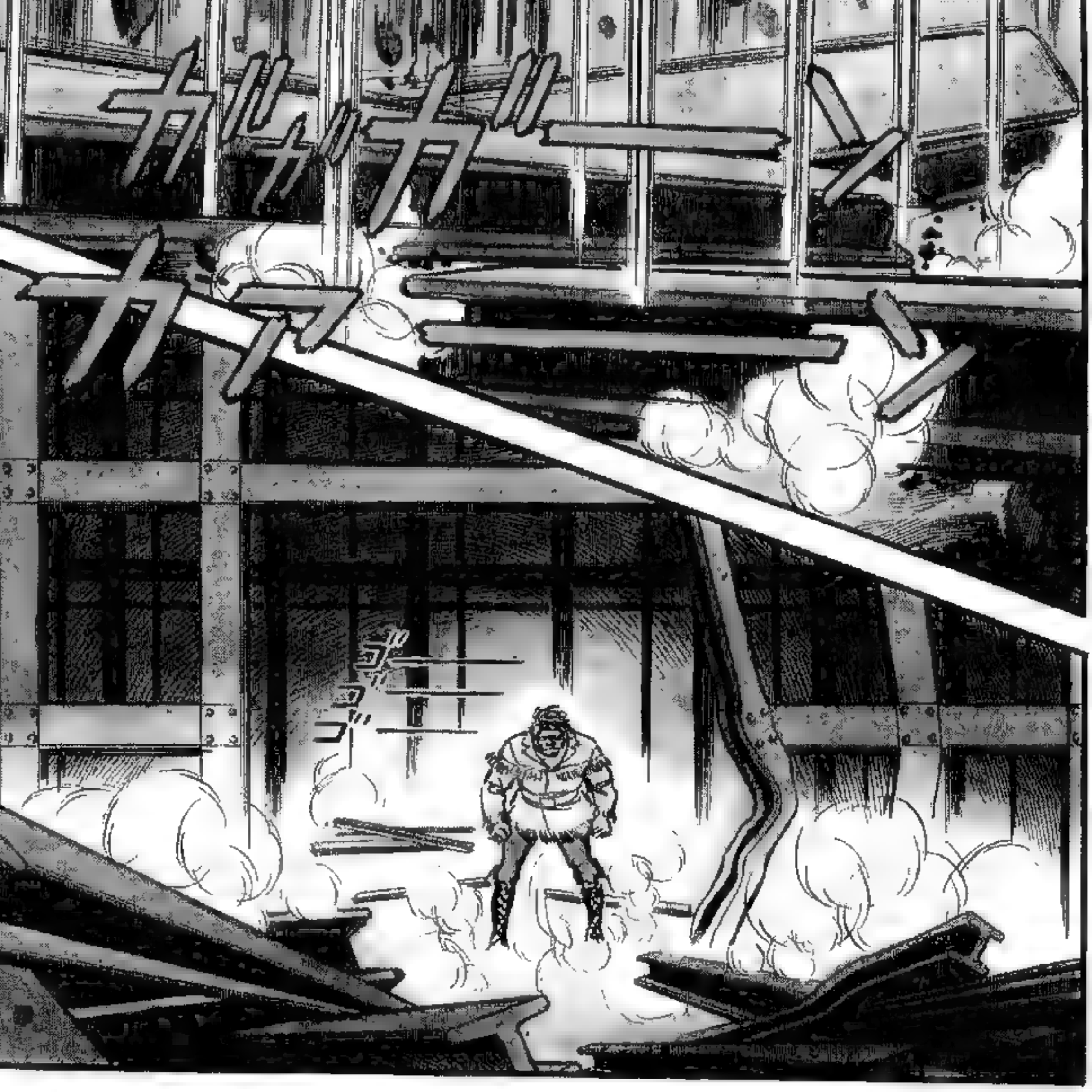
AHH!!

GET DOWN!

LOOK OUT!

HUH?

WAH!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WAIT!
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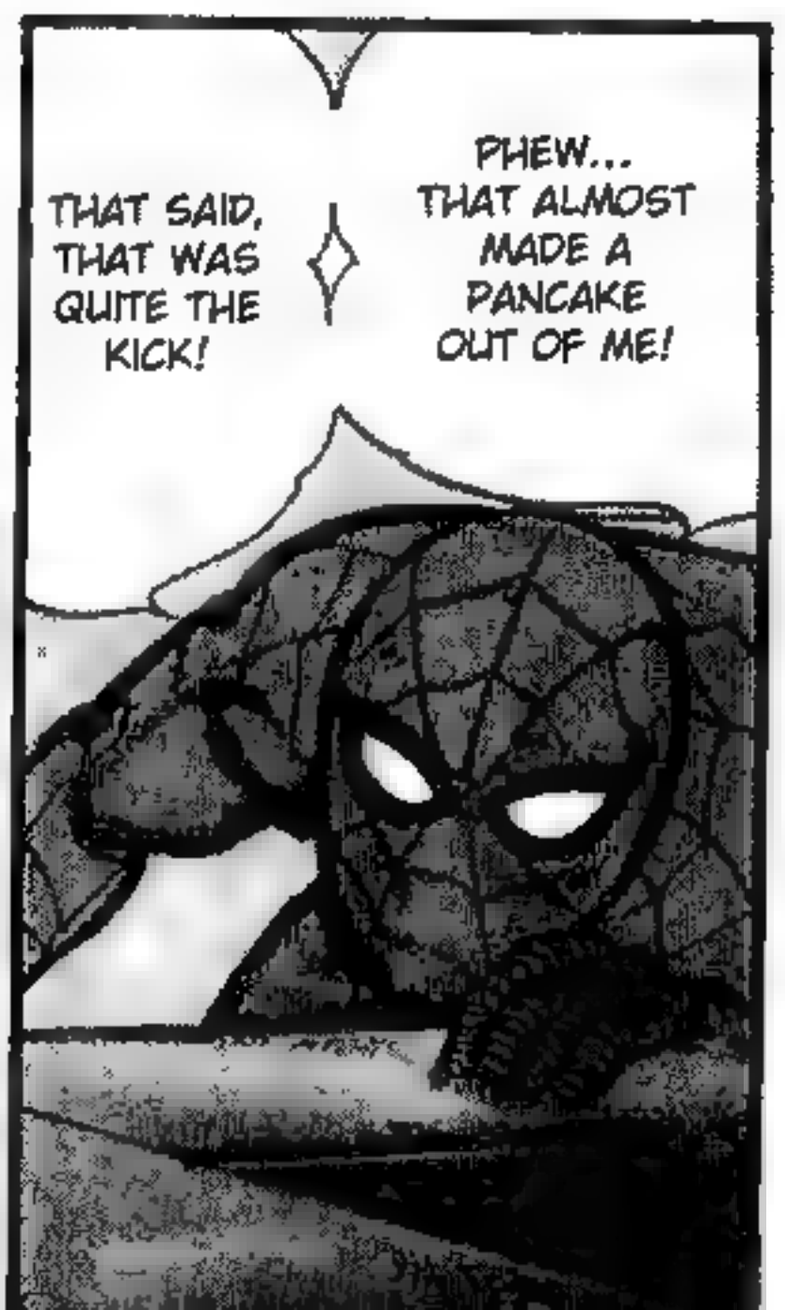
QUIT FOLLOWING ME ALREADY!
TCH... YOU'RE STILL ALIVE?


THAT SAID, THAT WAS QUITE THE KICK!
PHEW... THAT ALMOST MADE A PANCAKE OUT OF ME!

AHHH!

NO ONE CAN CUFF ME!

I TOLD YOU THAT YOU SHOULD GIVE UP!

HA HA HA HA!

W-
WHAT'S...

...G-GOING
ON?

WAAA-
AAUGH!

IT'S
HOPELESS.
I CAN'T
PURSUE
HIM ANY-
MORE!

HE WENT WILD,
THEN VANISHED!

H-HE GOT
AWAY...

HUFF...

HUFF
HUFF
...

THIS IS BECOMING
PRETTY SERIOUS.
THESE INCIDENTS
WILL KEEP HAPPENING
AS LONG AS THAT
MONSTER'S AROUND!

ARRR-
RRGH!

MY PRECIOUS CAR..
WHAT AM I SUPPOSED
TO DO ABOUT THIS?!

THIS IS YOUR FAULT! HE GOT AWAY BECAUSE YOU JUST HAD TO JUMP IN!

HUH!?

AND WE WORKED SO HARD TO PUT IT TOGETHER..

GODDAMMIT, THE SCAFFOLDING'S ALL MESSED-UP!

I-IF ONLY...

...I HADN'T INTERFERED..!

I'LL WRITE THE ARTICLE MYSELF...

INVESTIGATE THIS INCIDENT AND REPORT BACK TO ME!

YES?

HEY, YOU!

HEHEHE... THIS'LL MAKE A GOOD SCOOP...

情報新聞 (じょうほうしんぶん)

SIGN: JOHO NEWS.

MY JOHO NEWS ISN'T A VERY MAJOR PAPER..

DAMN THAT SPIDER-MAN! HE MAKES ME SICK EVERY TIME I SEE HIM!

BUT WE NEVER THOUGHT THAT ANYONE COULD DEFEAT A MONSTER LIKE ELECTRO!

MILLION YEN PRIZE!! CHALLENGE THE DEMON ELECTRO!

BUT BACK THEN... WE OFFERED A MASSIVE PRIZE TO INCREASE OUR SALES...

A MILLION GODDAMN YEN!!

BUT THAT DAMN SPIDER-MAN JUST WENT AND TOOK IT!

HEHEHE... SO NOW...

AND FOR THAT, WE NEED AN ARTICLE THAT'LL SHOCK THE READERS!

...WE NEED TO SOMEHOW INCREASE OUR NEWSPAPER SALES!

TO COVER UP THE DAMAGES HE DID...

I'LL USE MY JOHO NEWSPAPER TO EXPOSE WHO YOU REALLY ARE!

DESPICABLE SPIDER-MAN!

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THE SO-CALLED MAN OF JUSTICE IS JUST A COWARDLY HYPOCRITE WHO THINKS ONLY OF FAME AND FORTUNE!

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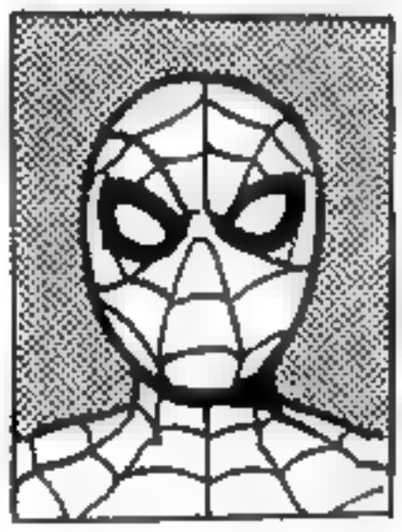

SLAY THE FAKE HERO SPIDER-MAN!

WHY WOULD THEY WRITE THIS..!?

N-NO WAY..!

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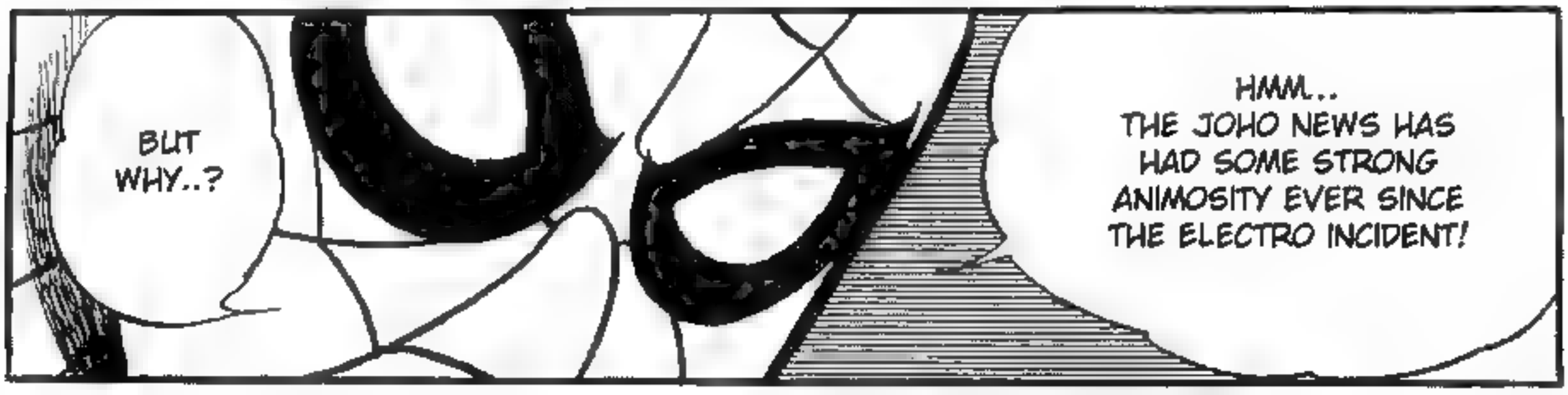
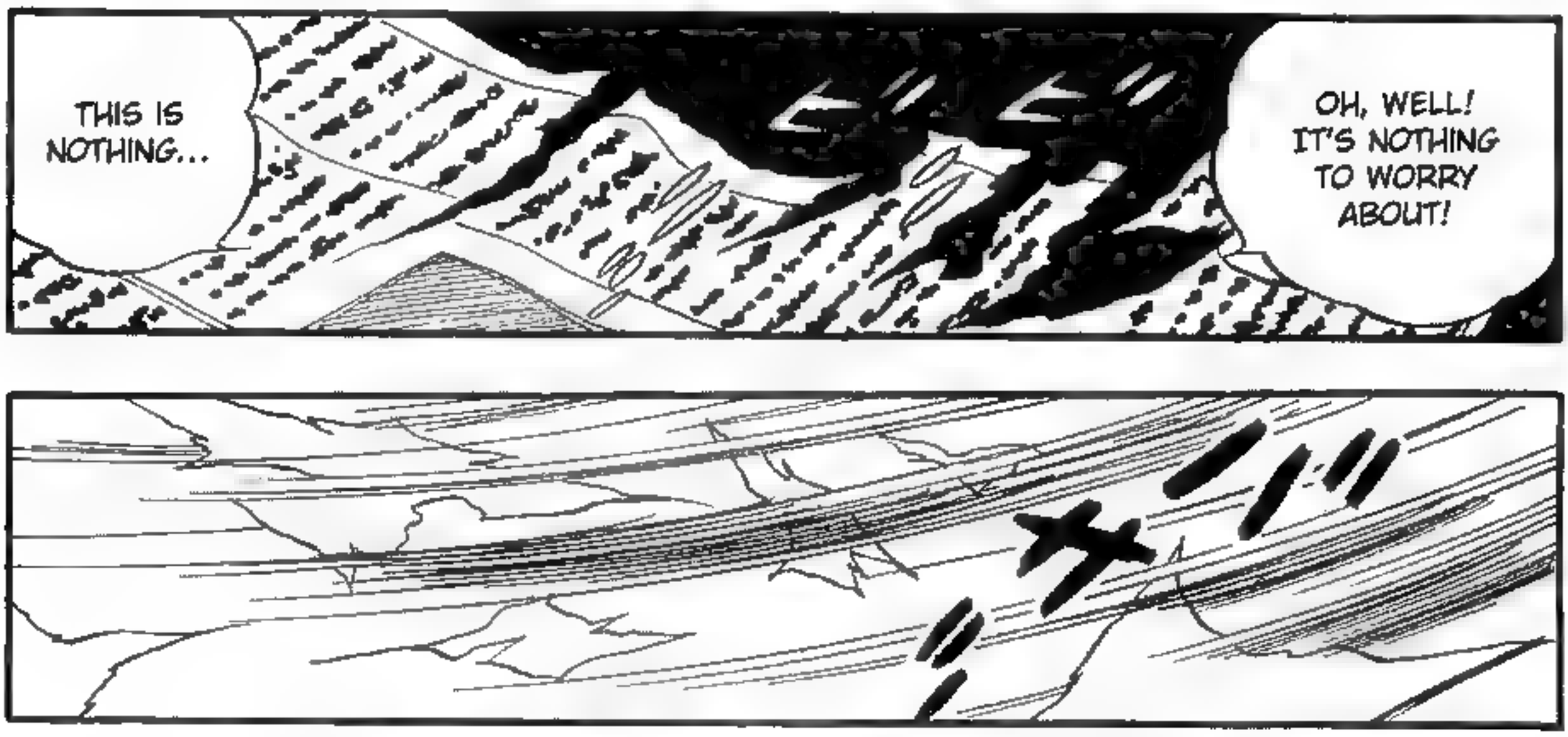

BUT WHY..?
HMM.. THE JOHO NEWS HAS HAD SOME STRONG ANIMOSITY EVER SINCE THE ELECTRO INCIDENT!


THIS IS NOTHING...
OH, WELL! IT'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT!

NO ONE WOULD BELIEVE THIS NONSENSE!

THE WORLD CALLS SPIDER-MAN A HERO OF JUSTICE...

SPIDER-MAN'S SELF-RIGHTEOUS INTRUSION WAS THE CAUSE OF THE DANGEROUS KANGAROO'S ESCAPE...

...BUT HE IS NO MORE THAN A BOUNTY HUNTER AFTER MONEY AND POPULARITY!

THIS INCIDENT WAS UNDOUBTEDLY AN ACTION CALCULATED TO GAIN SOCIETY'S PRAISE BY SAVING A MAN OVERCOME BY VIOLENCE!

IT WAS ALL A MISUNDERSTANDING!

IT'S ALL NONSENSE!

THE PEOPLE OF JAPAN ONCE AGAIN...

BUT THIS ARTICLE HAD ALREADY BEEN SPREAD TO THE TV, AND OTHER NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES.

SIGN: WEEKLY SUNSET.
SIGN: JAPAN JOURNAL.

A SPIDER HIDES ITSELF, AND ONLY COMES OUT TO CATCH BUGS, DOESN'T IT?

KOSUGI SAKYO

KUROKAWA KISHO

...CAME TO THINK OF THE SUPER-POWERED SPIDER-MAN... AS JUST A MONSTER.

WE NEED TO BE EVEN MORE CAREFUL ABOUT HIS ACTIONS.

AND THE POWERS OF A SPIDER ARE MULTIPLIED THOUSANDS OF TIMES OVER WITHIN SPIDER-MAN.

WHY IS SOCIETY SO QUICK TO BELIEVE THAT BULLSHIT!?

WHY!?

THIS WAS THE TOKYO METROPOLITAN GYMNASIUM.

INTER-TAG BLOOD BATTLE

EEEEEEEK!

THE KANGAROO IS HERE!

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INSET: WAAAAUGH!
INSET: AIEEEEEE!

AAAH..

OOOOOH
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OOH...

HAHAHAHAHA
..!

HE TOOK OUT ALL THE OTHER WRESTLERS!

T-THAT WAS AN AMAZING DROP KICK!

KANGAROO! I'LL CHALLENGE YOU TODAY!

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THAT SON OF A...

IT'S SPIDER-MAN...

EAT THIS!

YOU BASTARD! ARE YOU TRYING TO ACT COOL AGAIN?

HOW MUCH ARE YOU GONNA CHARGE FOR BEATING THE KANGAROO!?

GET LOST!

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YOU SURE ARE PERSISTENT. DON'T YOU KNOW HOW TERRIFYING I AM?

HEHEHE ...

...I'D LOVE TO SEE THEM!

IF ANYONE COULD SURVIVE MY KILLER KICKS...

I WAS WAITING FOR YOU TO CAUSE A RIOT HERE!

W-WAIT!

AIEEEEEEEEE!

WAAAAALIGH!

AIEEEEEEEEE!

A''A''A''!!!!

HEHE... I DON'T HAVE TIME TO PLAY WITH AN IDIOT LIKE YOU!

...I NEED TO CATCH THE GUY I LET ESCAPE, AND TELL THEM THE TRUTH!

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IN ORDER TO GET SOCIETY TO UNDERSTAND THE TRUTH...

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I CAN'T BE AFRAID OF HIS DROP KICKS...

AH! LOOK OUT!

WAAAAUGH! HELP ME!

THAT BOY'S GONNA BE TRAMPLED ON!

THE KANGAROO GOT AWAY!

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I LET HIM GET AWAY AGAIN!

URRGH...

THANK YOU, SPIDER-MAN...

SPIDER-MAN HELPED THE KANGAROO ESCAPE AGAIN...

...HE JUST WANTED TO SHOW OFF HIS SUPERPOWER TO THE WORLD.

EARLIER, HE DONATED THE MILLION YEN PRIZE FROM THE ELECTRO INCIDENT TO ORPHANAGES AROUND JAPAN, ...

...BUT THAT'S JUST A COWARDLY EXCUSE OF A HYPOCRITE!

HE SAID THAT THE KANGAROO RAN AWAY WHILE HE WAS TRYING TO SAVE A CHILD FROM THE ORPHANAGE, ...

SPIDER-MAN IS A SUPERHUMAN THAT ONLY THINKS ABOUT HIMSELF!

LISTEN, EVERY-ONE!

HA HA

...BUT THIS IS DEFINITELY A PLAN TO GAIN THE POPULARITY OF OUR YOUTH TO BECOME A STAR IN THE FUTURE!

IT WOULD BE A DISASTER IF THE JAPANESE YOUTH CAME TO ADMIRE HIM!

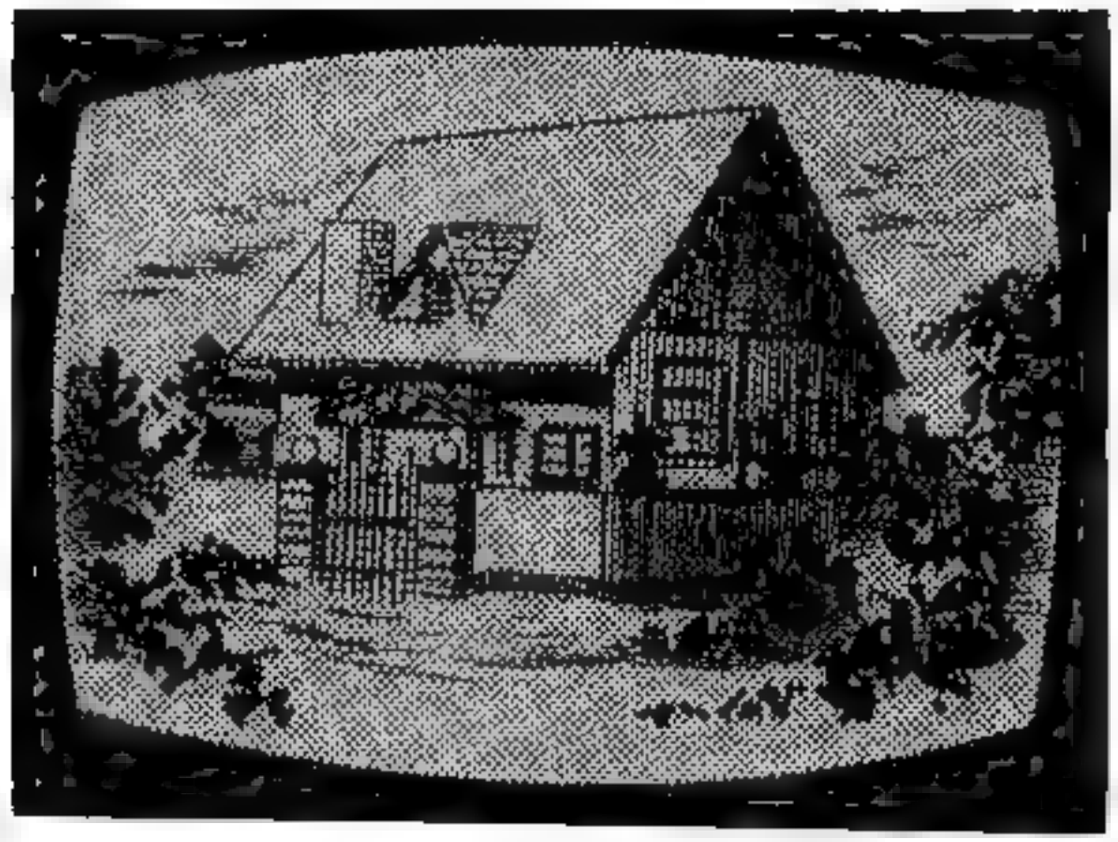
THE TIME HAS COME TO UNMASK SPIDER-MAN!

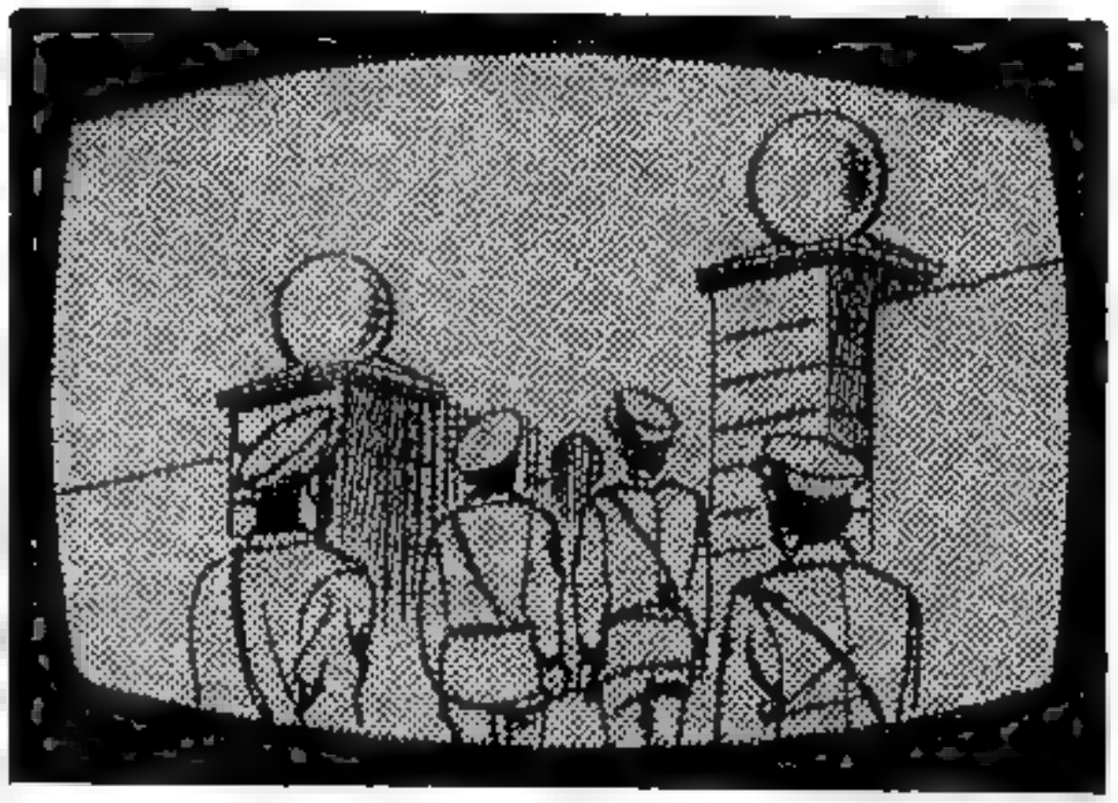
...SPIDER-MAN WILL BE CONSIDERED A HYPOCRITE FOREVER...

IF THIS KEEPS UP...

I HAVE TO CATCH THE KANGAROO WHATEVER IT TAKES, AND MAKE EVERYONE KNOW THE TRUTH!

IT'S NOT TRUE!





THE CITIZENS OF TOKYO CANNOT SLEEP AT NIGHT.

_AND HAS ROBBED THE FOOD AND MONEY IN THEIR HOUSE.
THE KANGAROO HAS ATTACKED ANOTHER RICH HOUSE LAST NIGHT, ..

THIS REALLY IS DREADFUL...

THE METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT IS DOING EVERYTHING IN THEIR POWER TO SEARCH FOR THE CRIMINAL...

...AND IS BELIEVED TO BE WAITING FOR ANOTHER CHANCE TO ACT.

THE VILLAINOUS KANGAROO HAS ONCE AGAIN HID HIMSELF SOMEWHERE IN THE CITY...

I MAY GET HOME LATE FROM SCHOOL, BUT DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME!

AUNT...

I'LL BE BACK!

WHY, YU..?

?

JOHO NEWS-PAPER

SIGN: EDITOR'S ROOM.

...AS MUCH AS I HATE TO ADMIT, IS TO ASK THAT WRETCH OF A MANAGER.

AND THE QUICKEST WAY...

THERE'S SOMETHING I NEED TO HAVE.

FIRST, I NEED TO MAKE SOME MONEY TO SEARCH FOR THE KANGAROO...

HMM... YOU'RE THE GUY I HAD COVERING THE SCIENCE EXPERIMENT AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

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WHAT..? YOU WANT A PART-TIME JOB?

GO TAKE PICTURES OF SPIDER-MAN!

HUH?

ALRIGHT, I'LL GIVE YOU A GOOD JOB!

YES, THAT'S RIGHT.

HELLO?

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WELL? CAN YOU DO IT?

THEY'LL PAY HAND-SOMELY...

HEHEHE... AND GET PICTURES OF HIM FIGHTING THE KANGAROO!

I'LL DO IT!

BUT I NEED TO BE PAID IN ADVANCE!

W-WHAT!?

OW, OW, OW...

K"K"K"K"...

HMM?

BUT THANKS TO HIM, I CAN USE THIS TO FIND THE KANGAROO... AND I COULD EVEN BUY A CAMERA!

I'M SURPRISED THAT STINGY OLD MAN PAID UP!

IT'S A SPIDER!

IT'S ALL THAT MISERABLE MANAGER'S FAULT I HAVE TO WORK SO HARD IN THE FIRST PLACE!

DAMMIT, WHAT HAVE I GOTTEN MYSELF INTO!?

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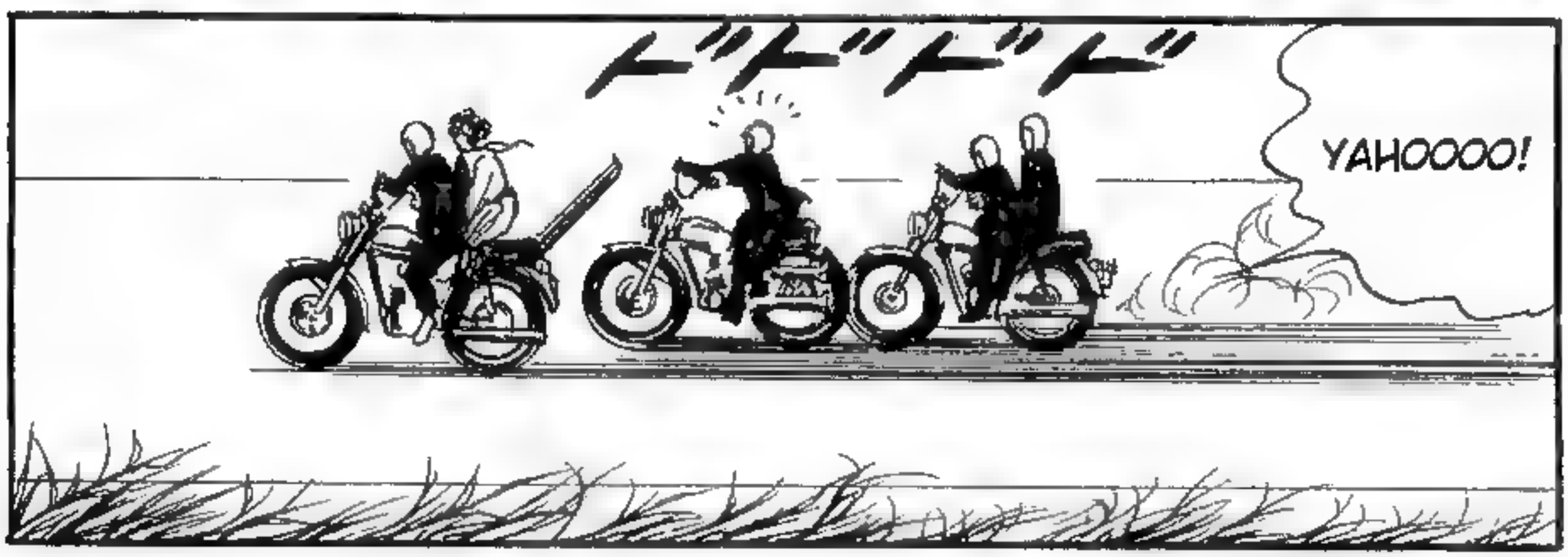
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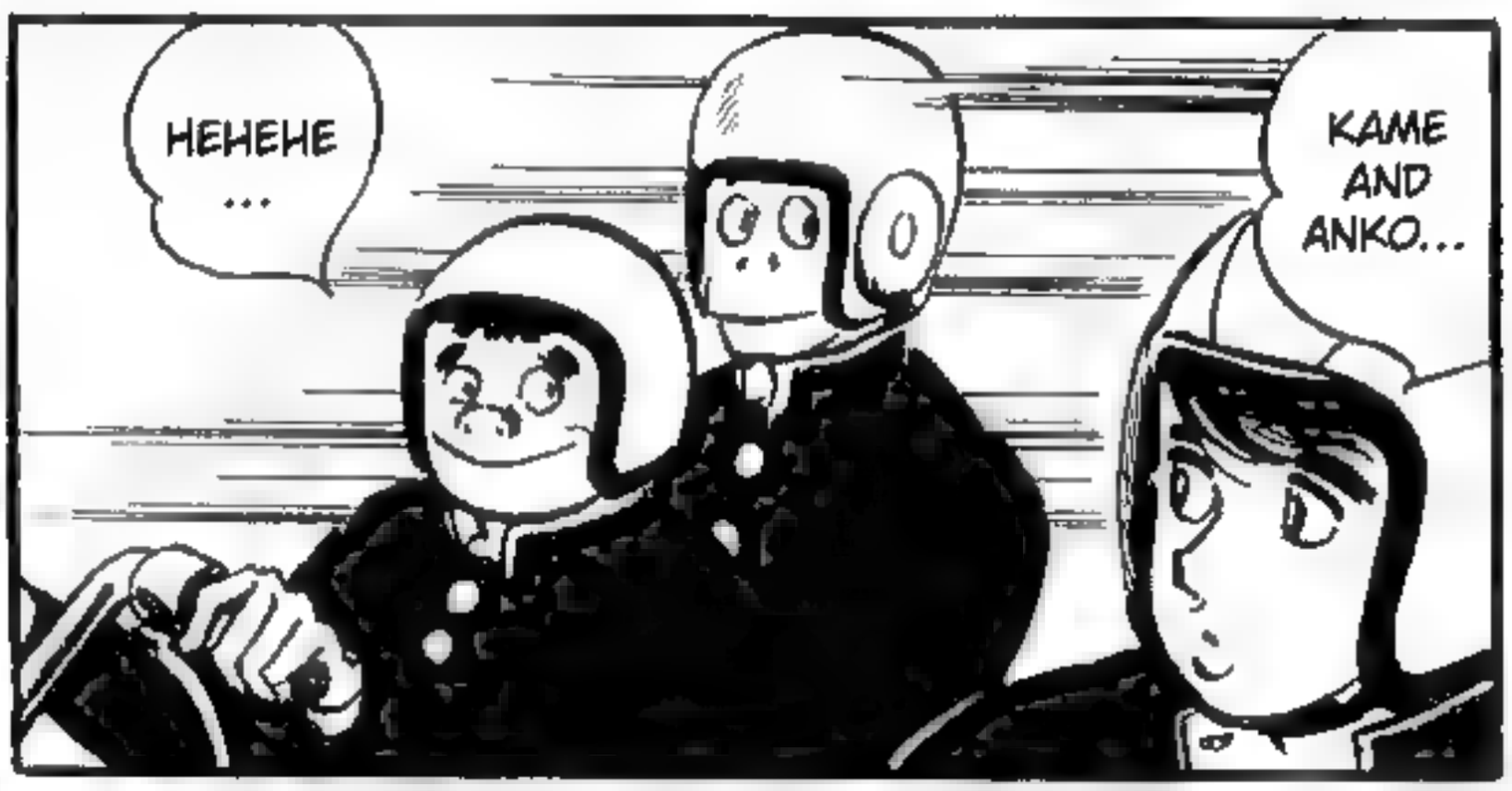
YAHOOOO!

YU!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KAME AND ANKO...

HEY, KOMORI!

AH! ARAKI!

BUT IT'S TRUE!

HEHEHE... YOKO ASKED ME TO GIVE HER A RIDE AND WOULDN'T TAKE NO FOR AN ANSWER... OW, OW, OW!

DID YOU BUY IT?

YU! THAT'S A PRETTY NICE BIKE!

Y...YEAH.

YOU COULD EASILY GET 150K ON THAT!

IT'S A 250CC HONDA!

THIS IS REAL BAD! I DON'T HAVE TIME TO PLAY AROUND HERE!

RACE YOU TO THE STOP LIGHTS! LET'S GO!

I-I'M...

ALRIGHT, YU! LET'S RACE!

I ALWAYS THOUGHT YOU WERE JUST A BOOKWORM!

KOMORI! YOU'RE COOLER THAN I THOUGHT!

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YU'S A COOL GUY! HE'S NOT A DRUDGE WHO ONLY THINKS OF PASSING OTHER PEOPLE!

I KNEW IT FROM THE BEGINNING!

HAHAHA- HAHAHA!

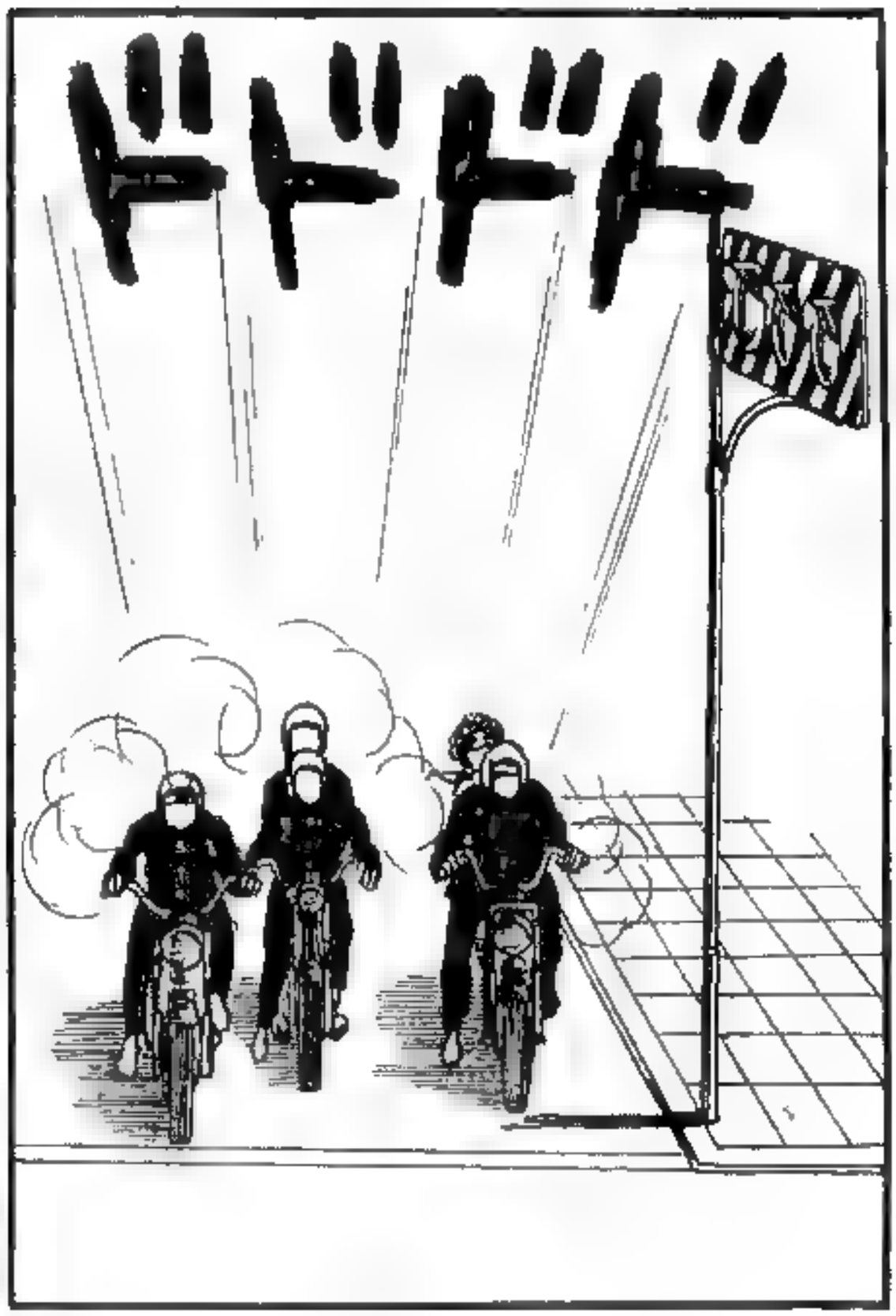
AIEEEEEEEEEEE!

FUCKIN' IDIOT!

I HAVE TO FIND THE KANGAROO, AND QUICK ...

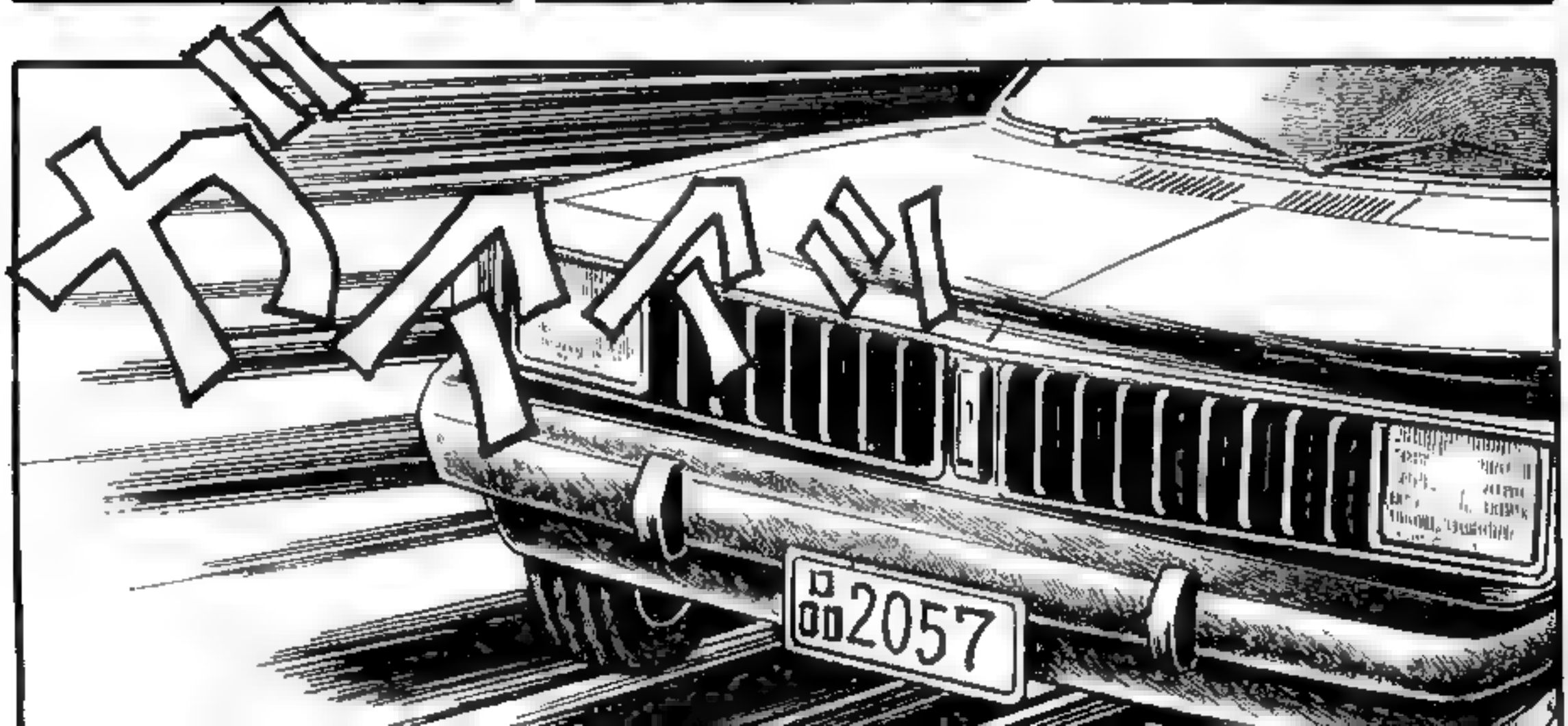
H-HE'S...

HAHAHAHA! DAMMIT, WE LOST!



I STILL BELIEVE THAT SPIDER-MAN'S A HERO OF JUSTICE.
BY THE WAY, YU...

HAHAHA! BUT IF YOU THINK ABOUT IT, THERE'S NO ONE THAT ISN'T A BIT OF AN EGOIST!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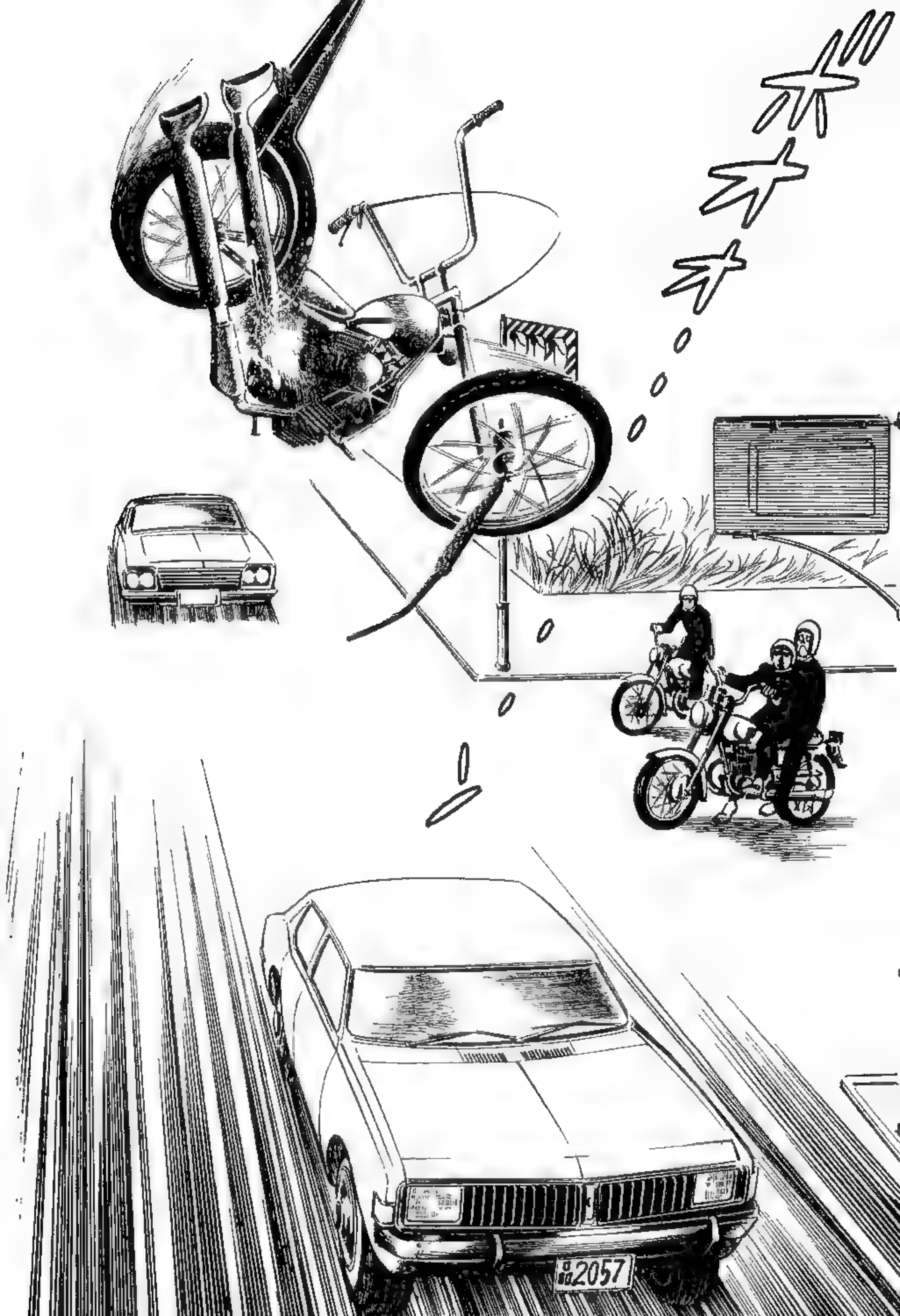
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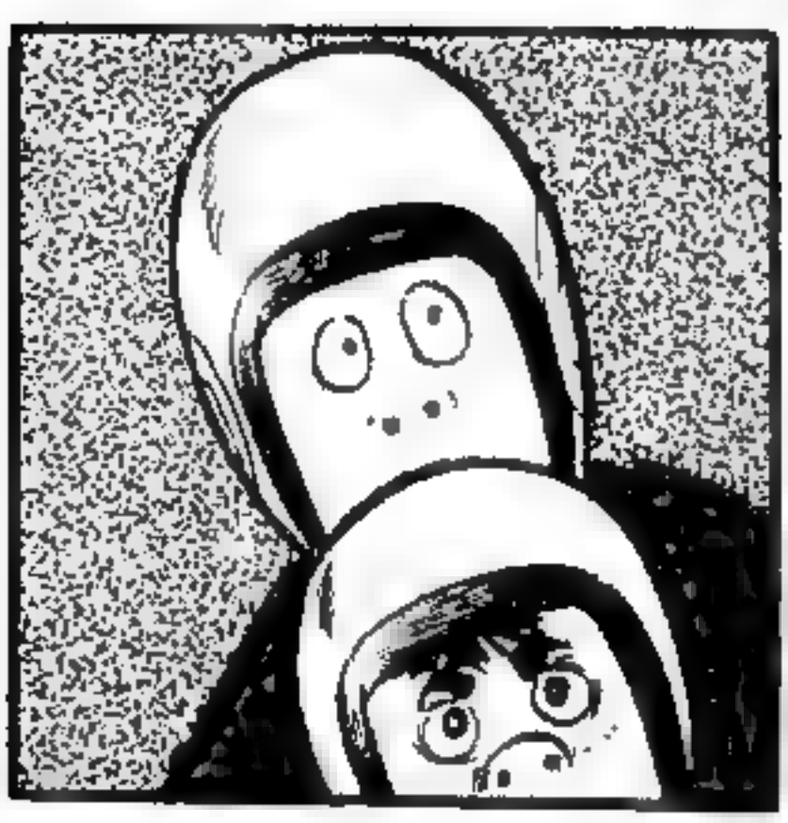

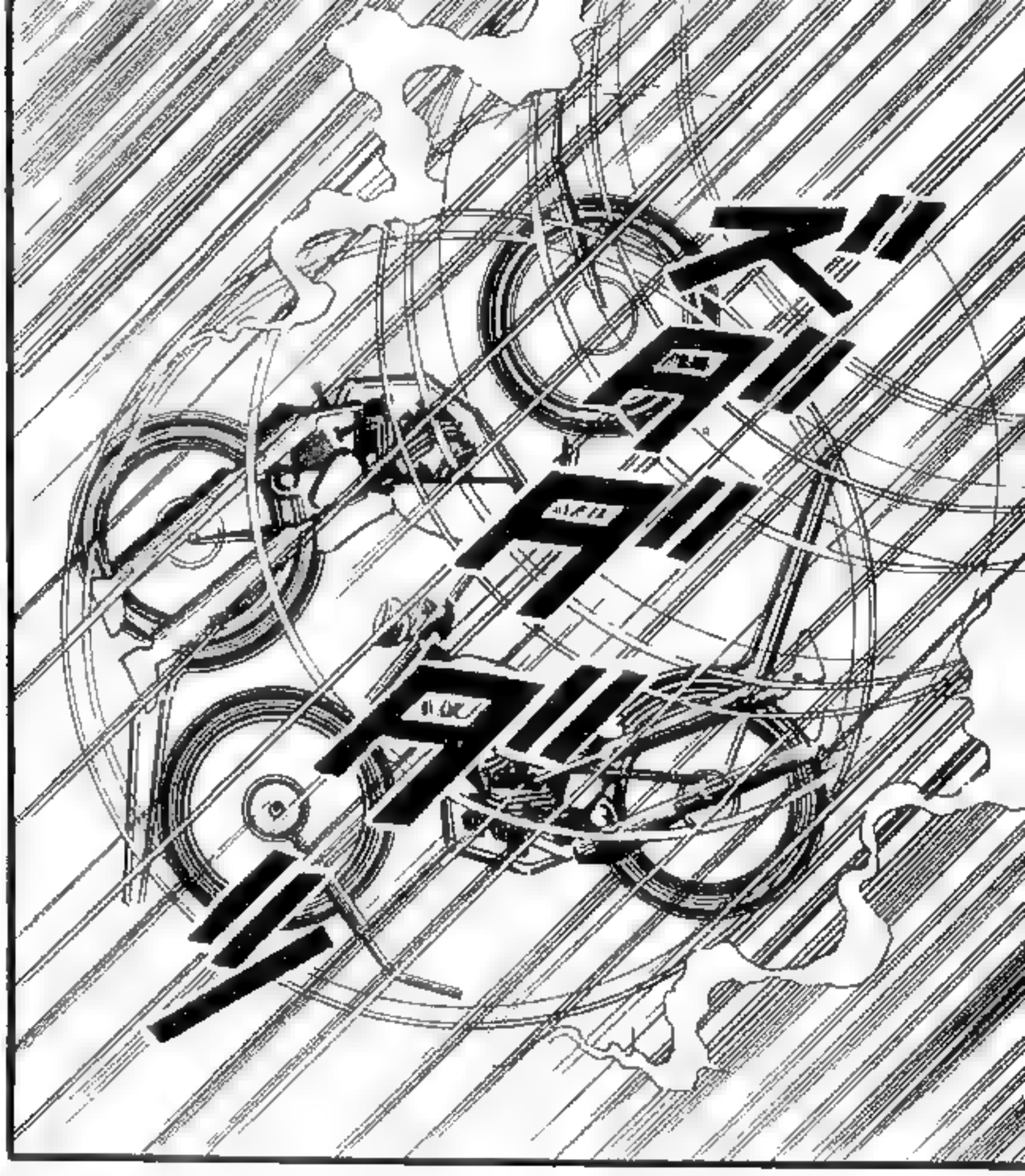
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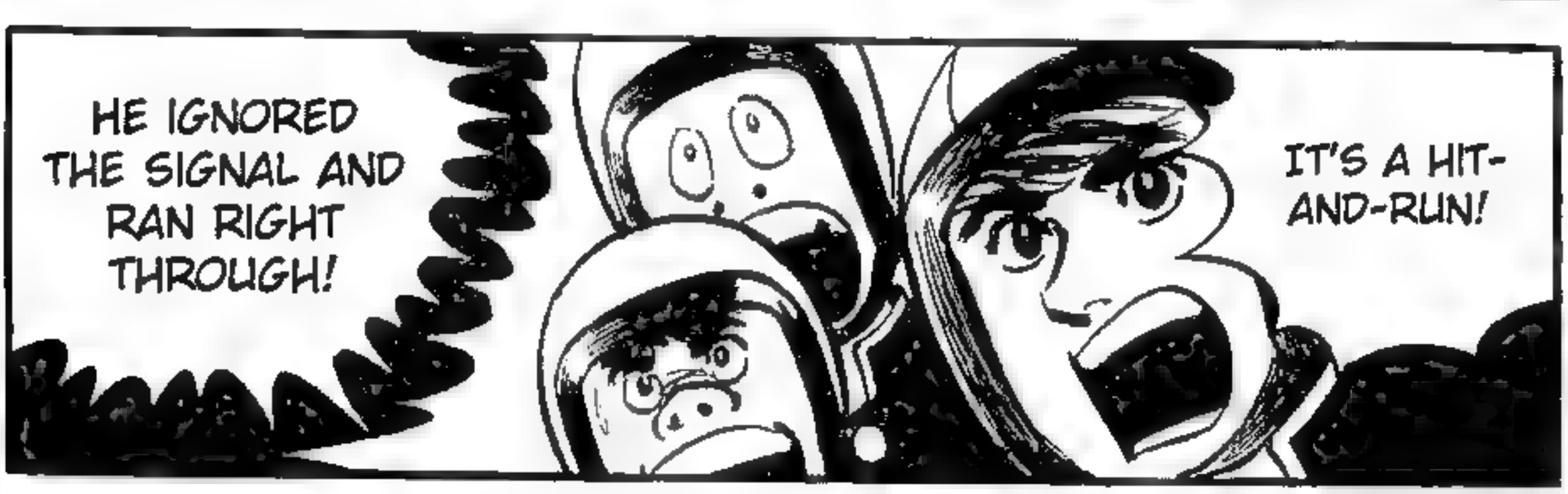
HE IGNORED THE SIGNAL AND RAN RIGHT THROUGH!
IT'S A HIT-AND-RUN!

STOP, PLEASE!

SOME-BODY'S HURT!

STOP A CAR!

OH, MAN! THEY'RE BOTH BLEEDING HEAVILY! WE NEED TO GET THEM TO THE HOSPITAL!

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HURRY, OR THEY'LL DIE!

HEY! STOP!

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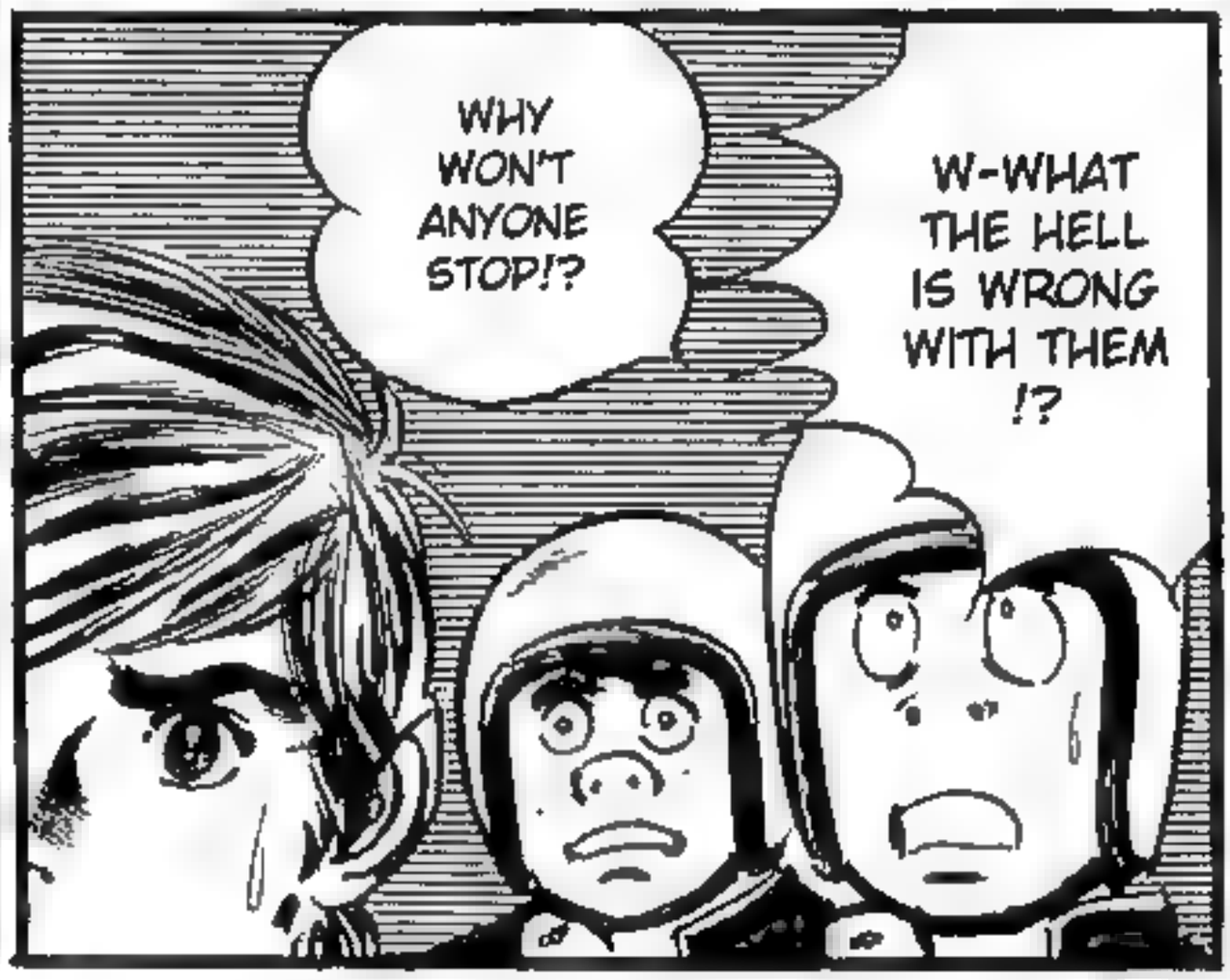
HUH?

WAAUGH!
YU!

I-I DON'T KNOW...

...I DODGED JUST IN TIME...
I-I'M FINE...


WHY WON'T ANYONE STOP!?
W-WHAT THE HELL IS WRONG WITH THEM !?

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I-IT'S LIKE THEY'RE IN A FRENZY...

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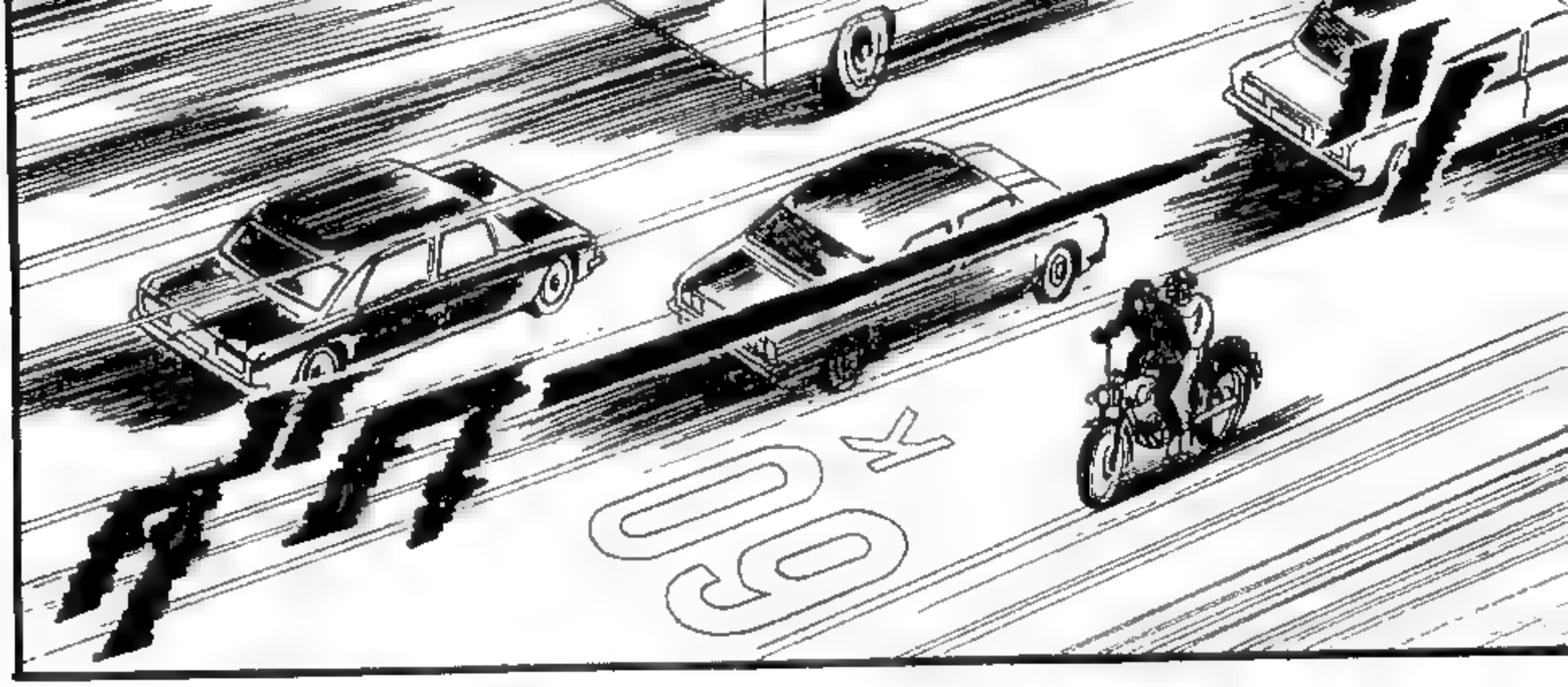
BUT YOU'D BETTER TAKE YOKO ON YOUR BIKE...

I'M ALRIGHT.

ARAKI!

YU...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IT'S LIKE ALL THE CARS ARE DESPERATE TO GET AWAY FROM THE CITY CENTER...

STRANGE... THIS IS DEFINITELY NOT NORMAL...

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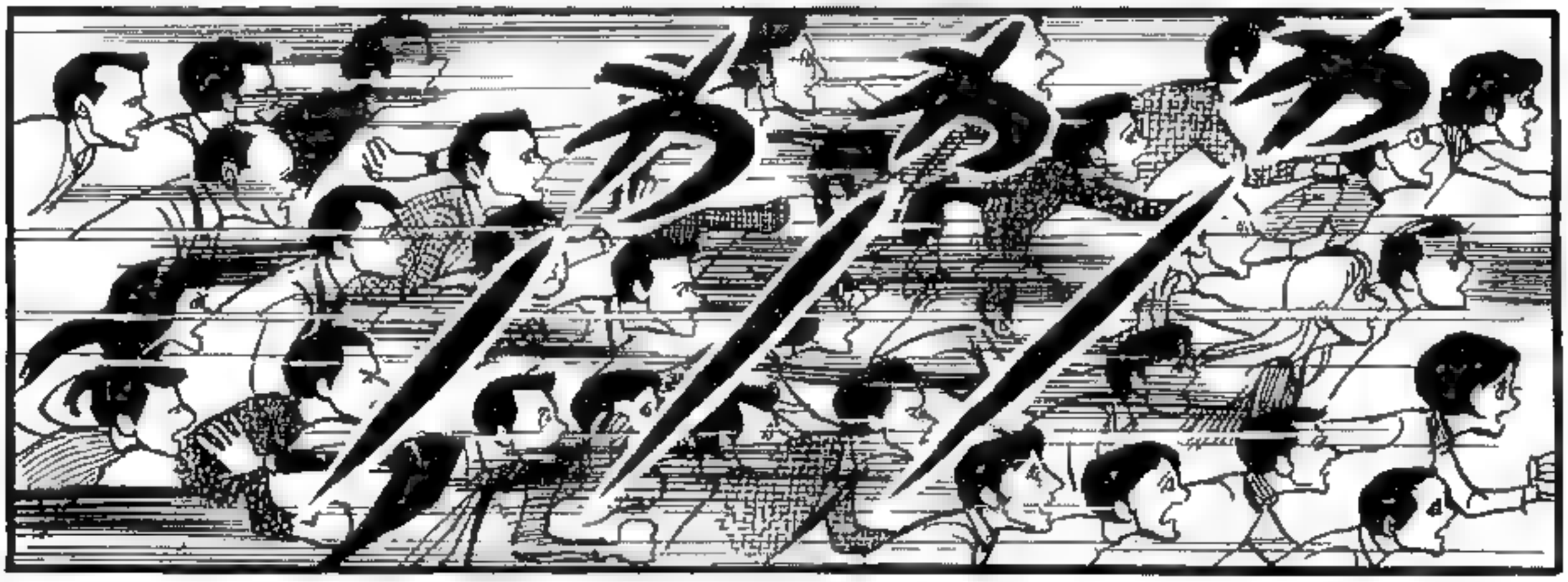
AND... THE CROWD...
IT'S LIKE WEAPONS CLASHING AGAINST WEAPONS!
THOSE CARS ARE RACING TO GET AHEAD OF EACH OTHER!
HUFF HUFF HUFF... THEY AREN'T GIVING THE SIGNALS A SECOND THOUGHT...

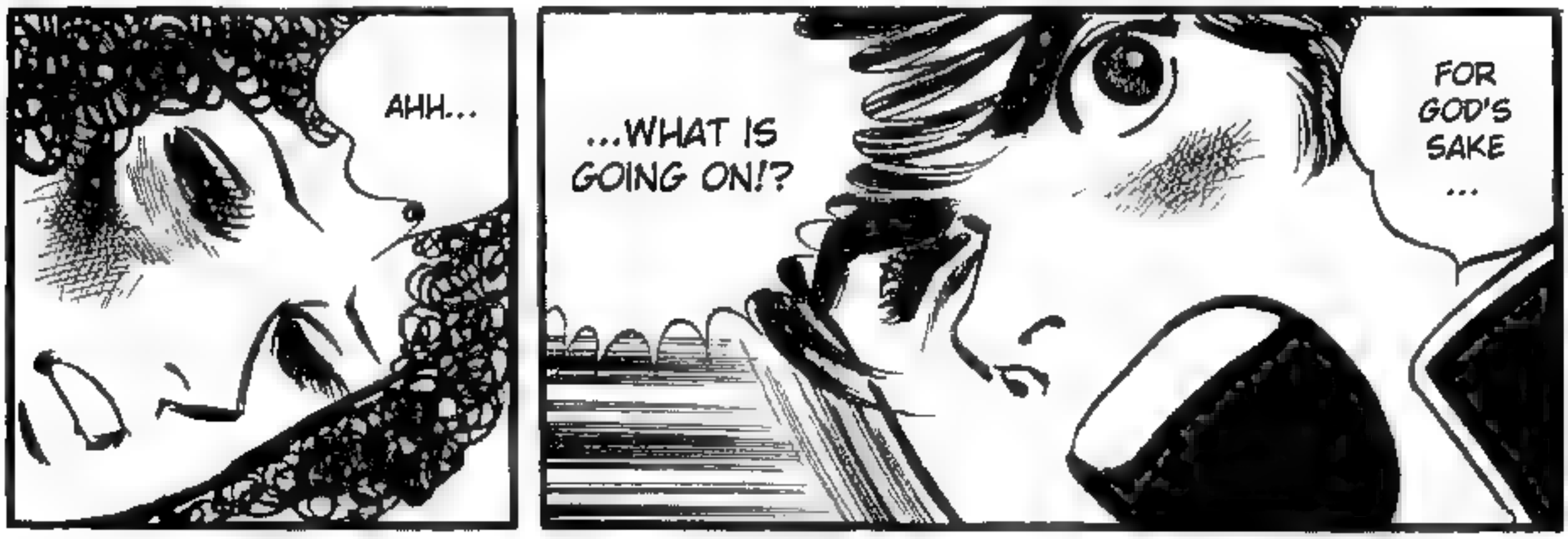
WAAAAAA-
AAAAUGH!

WAAAAAAAAGH!!!

CAN'T YOU TELL THAT SOMEONE'S COLLAPSED HERE!?

S-STOP!




AHH...
...WHAT IS GOING ON!?
FOR GOD'S SAKE ...

SHE'LL DIE AT THIS RATE...
C-CRAP...

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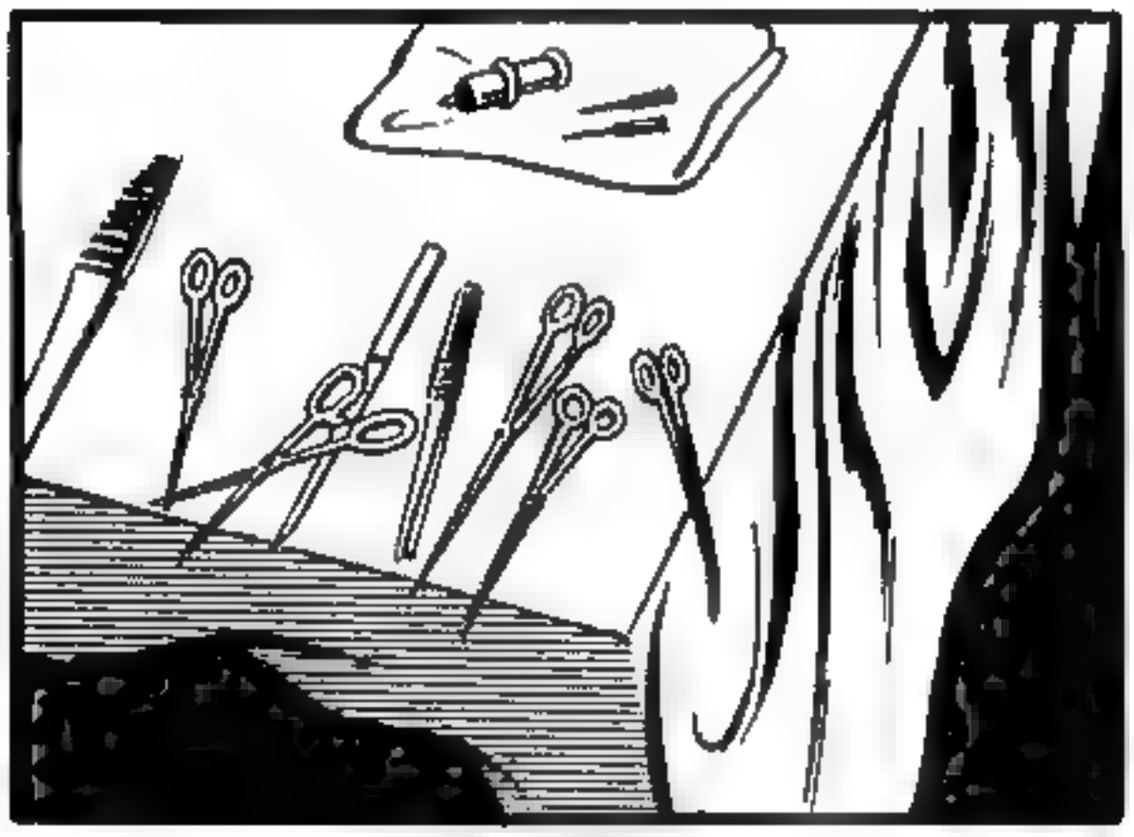

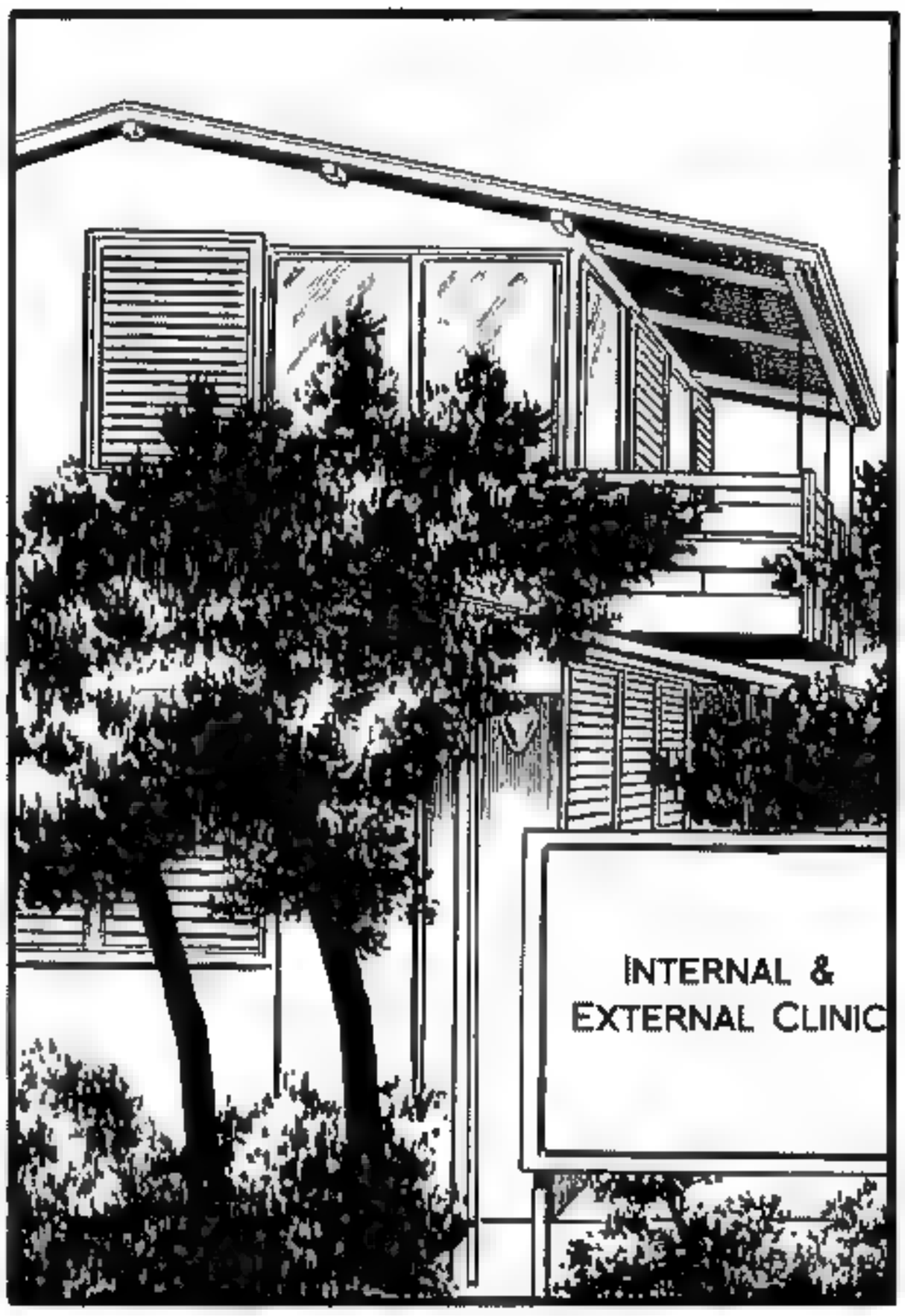
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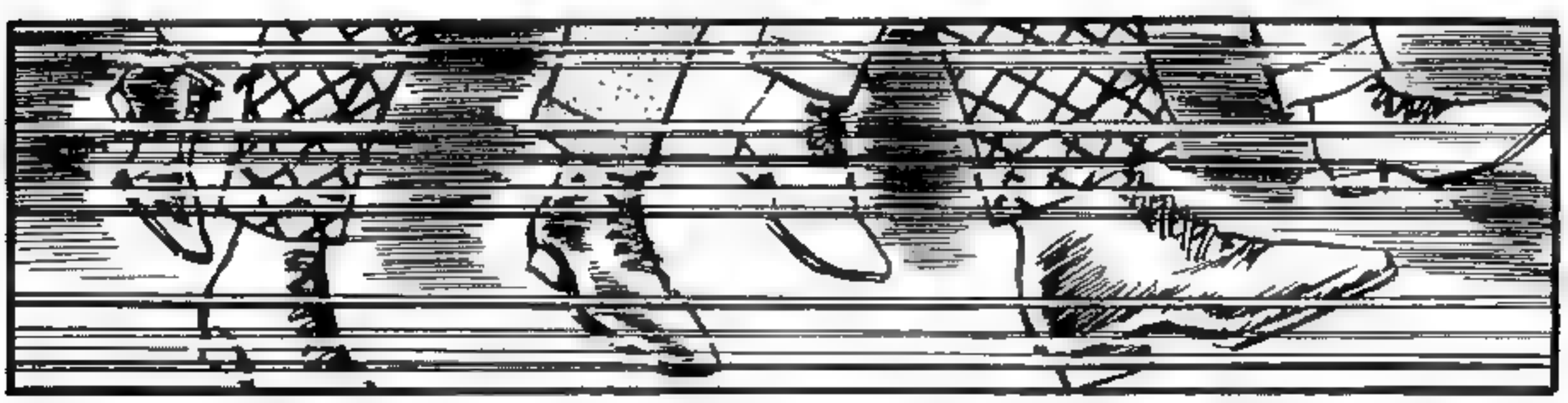

Y-YES?

HEY, YOU.

...I'D HAVE BEEN TRAMPLED TO DEATH...

IF IT WEREN'T FOR MY SUPER-POWERS...

WHAT'S CAUSING THE PANIC OUT THERE?

OH, DOCTOR! COULD YOU TELL ME SOMETHING?

R-REALLY!?

THE GIRL'S... GOING TO LIVE.

...TO PUSH OVER OTHERS AND RUN!?

WHY IS EVERYONE IN SUCH A FRENZY...

KANGAROO STARTED IT.

IT'S BEEN BROADCAST ALL OVER THE TV AND RADIO...

SO, YOU DON'T KNOW YET...

IT SEEMS THAT MONSTER STOLE IMPORTANT EXPERIMENTAL BACTERIA FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH IN TRANSIT, THINKING IT WAS MONEY...

...AND THE PEOPLE OF TOKYO WILL BE IN GRAVE DANGER!

IF HE OPENS THE STOLEN CAPSULE, THE BACTERIA WILL BE RELEASED...

T-THAT'S WHY...

ALL THE TRAINS IN TOKYO ALMOST LOOK LIKE HELL.

THEY'RE ALL TRYING TO GET OUT OF TOKYO AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

WANT TO SEE THE NEWS ON TV?

WELL... NO POINT IN STRUGGLING.

THIS IS A TIME WHEN PEOPLE SHOW THEIR TRUE INSTINCTS.

KANGAROO, PLEASE RETURN THE CAPSULE!

THOUSANDS OF LIVES ARE IN THE BALANCE!

WE REPEAT!

HAVEN'T YOU BEEN SHOWING THEM TOO, MAYBE A LITTLE MORE THAN YOU LIKE?

INST-INCTS...

THE CAUSE OF THIS TERRIBLE INCIDENT BEFALLEN US IS ALL SPIDER-MAN'S FAULT!

PEOPLE OF TOKYO!

HUH?

AND IT SEEMS THAT THE ORIGIN OF THIS INCIDENT WAS SPIDER-MAN.

PEOPLE! THIS SO-CALLED HERO SPIDER-MAN IS THE ONE THAT SHOULD TAKE THE RESPONSIBILITY!!

KANGAROO ESCAPED BECAUSE OF HIS INTERFERENCE!

HEY!

I JUST TRIED TO SAVE A MAN FROM BEING BEATEN TO DEATH...

AND NOW...

THAT'S ALL THAT HAPPENED!

CATCH THE KANGAROO ALREADY, DAMMIT!

ARE YOU JUST GOING TO LET US DIE?

WHAT THE HELL IS WRONG WITH YOU, SPIDER-MAN?

DON'T TRY AND PLAY THE HERO, HYPOCRITE!

SHOW-OFF!

WHERE ARE YOU, KANGAROO!?

WHERE ARE YOU...

NOW I'M.. I'M..

WHAT HAVE I DONE!?

SOB...

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...RELYING ONLY ON MY SPIDER-SENSE...

I SEARCHED EVERYWHERE FOR HIM...

BUT IT'S ALREADY EVENING, AND I STILL CAN'T FIND HIM..

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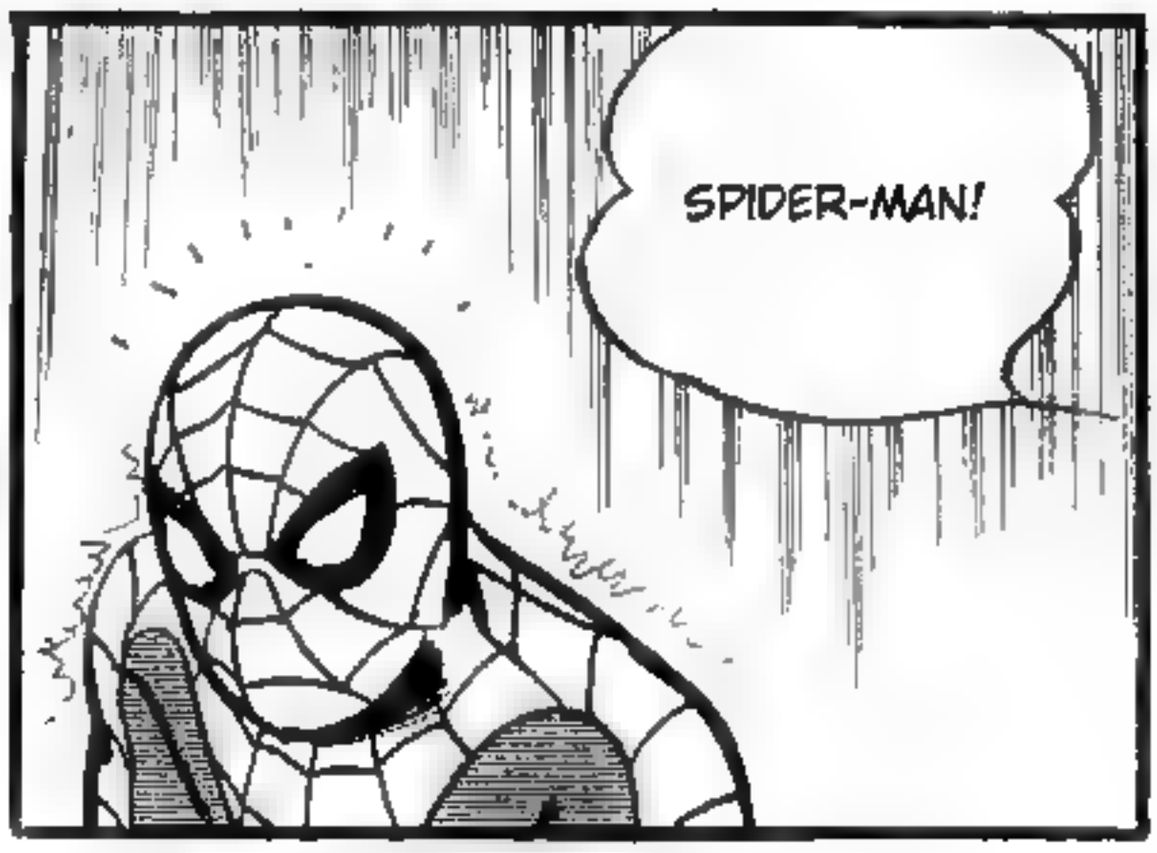
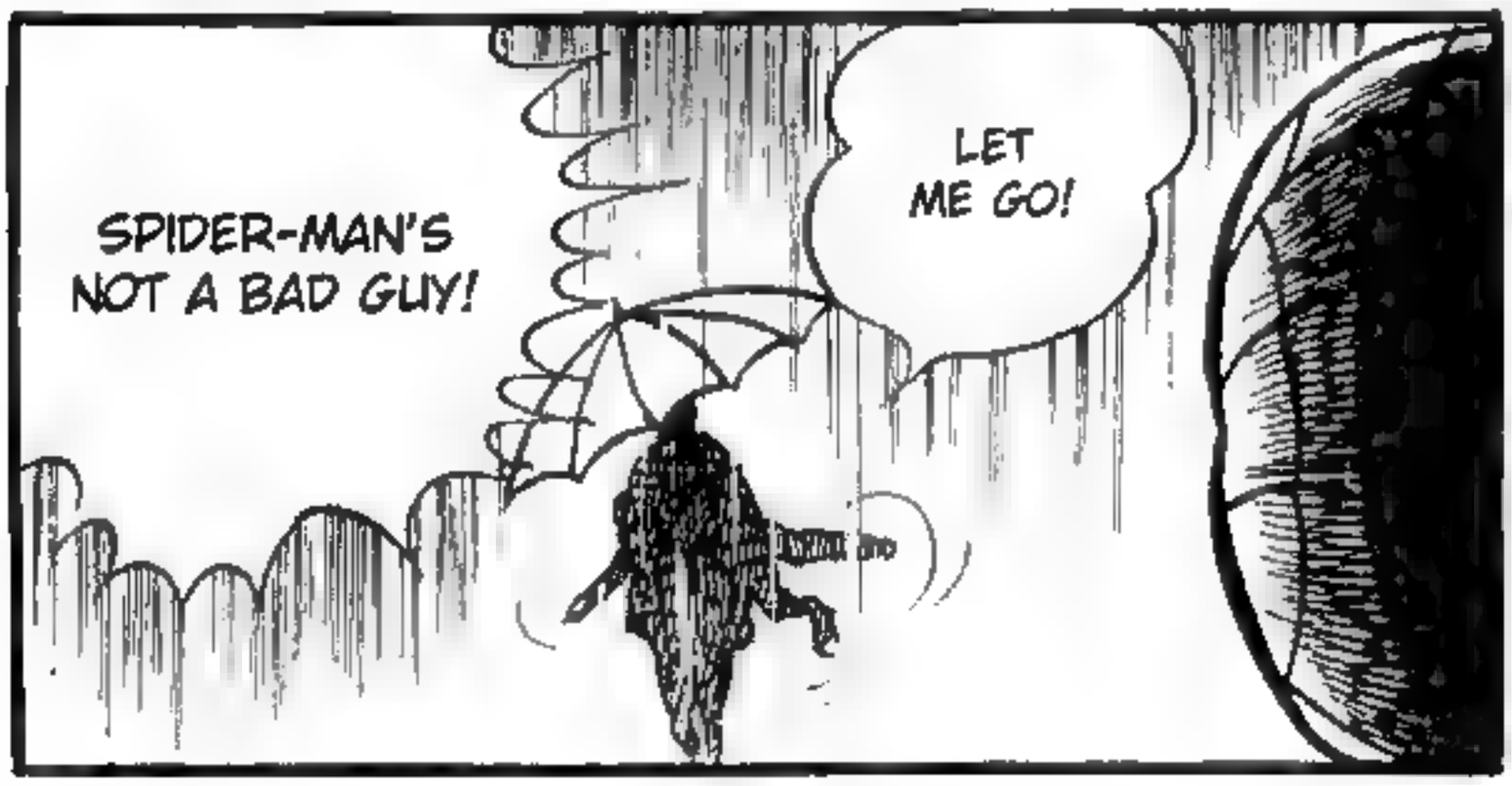

SPIDER-MAN!

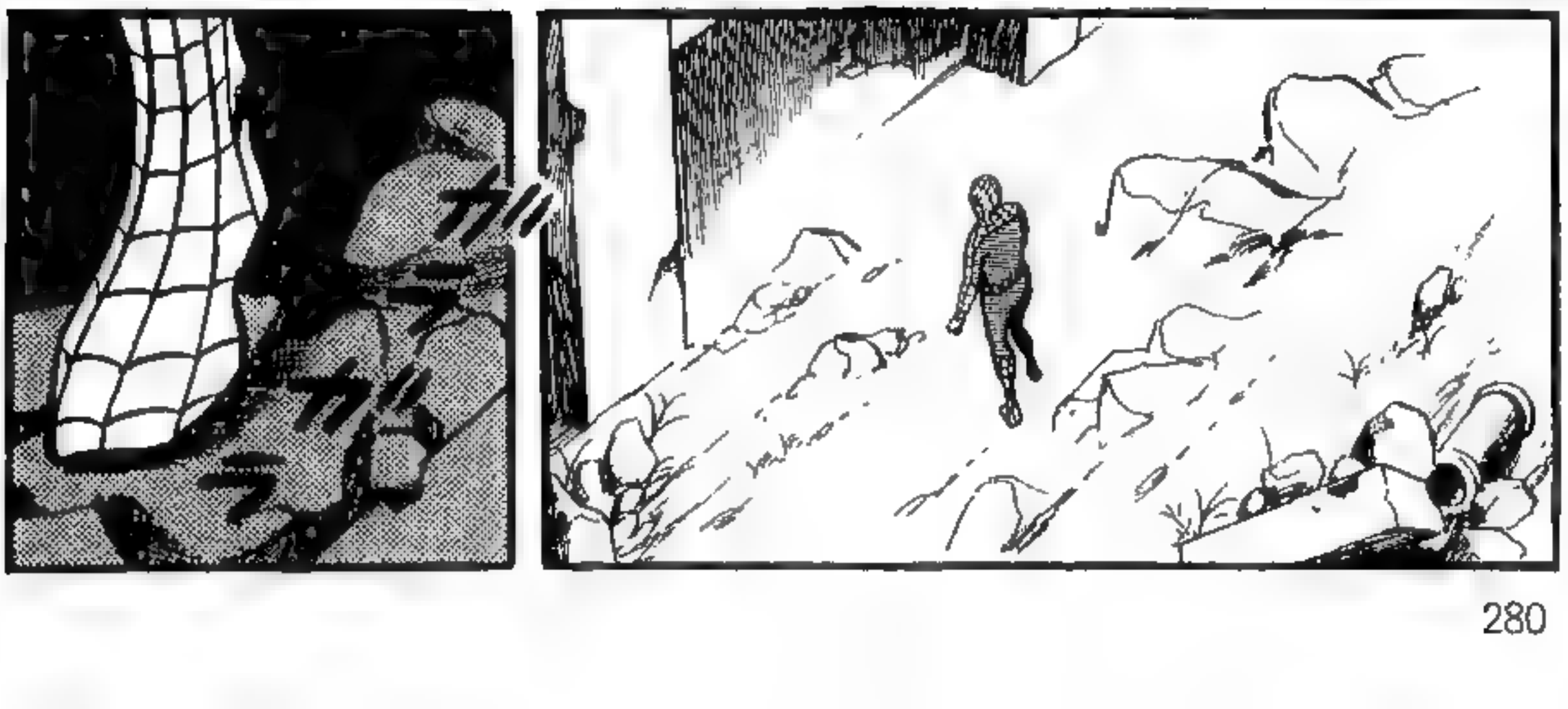
BUT DIRECTOR! SPIDER-MAN SAVED ME!
GET BACK HERE!

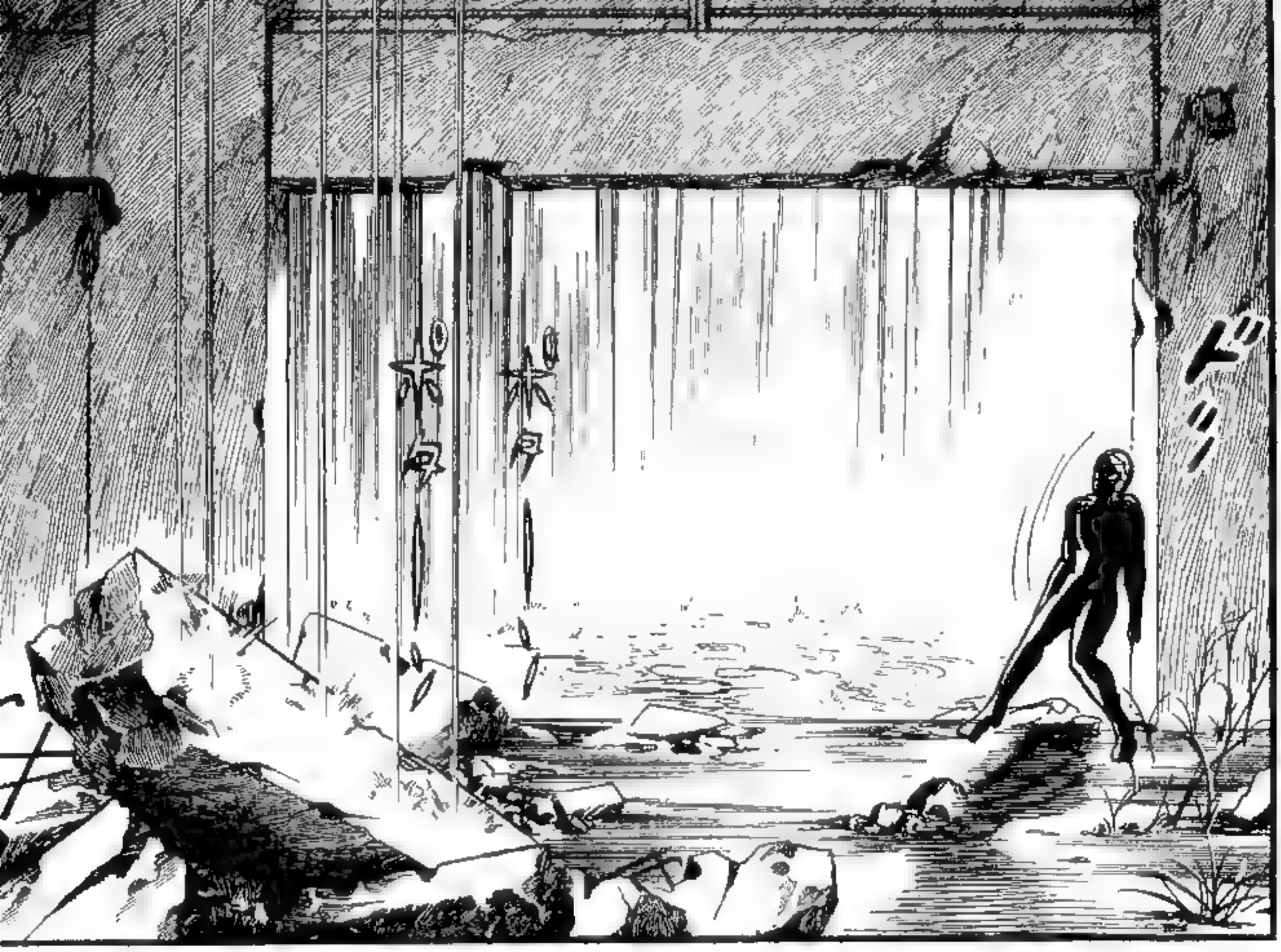
KID!

NO!
STAY AWAY FROM HIM!


SPIDER-MAN'S NOT A BAD GUY!
LET ME GO!

WHITE ROSE ORPH-ANAGE
...SUPPOSED TO DO..?
WHAT AM I...

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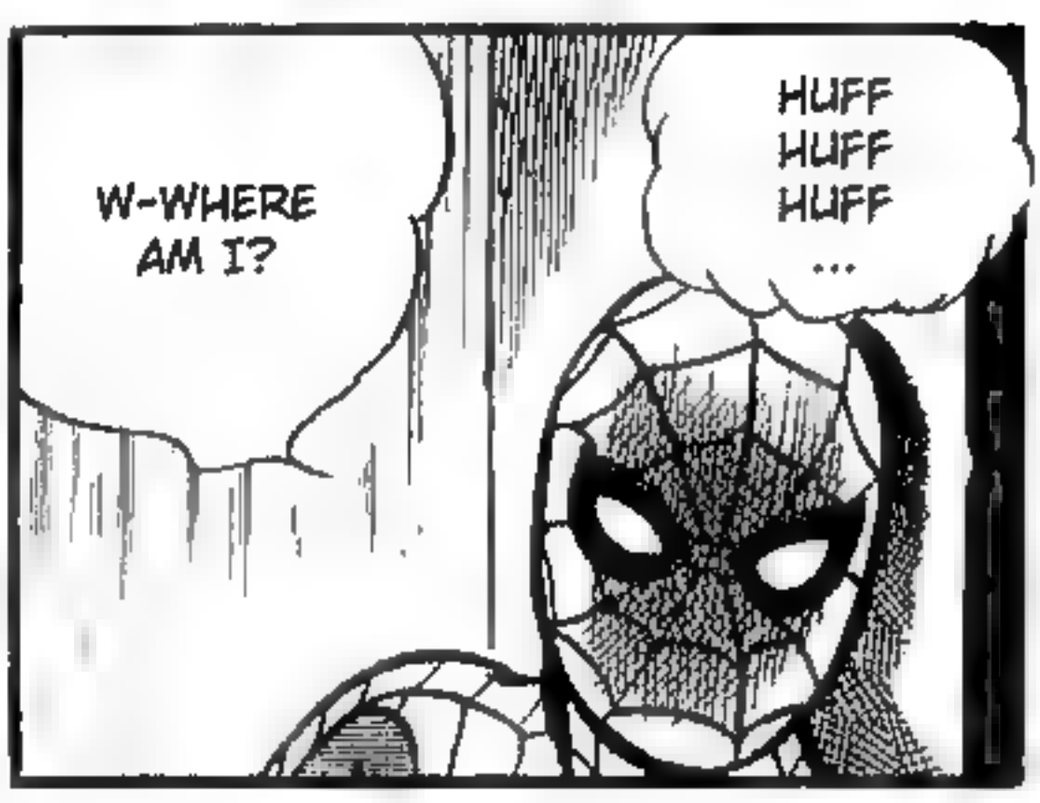
H...HOW DID I END UP HERE..?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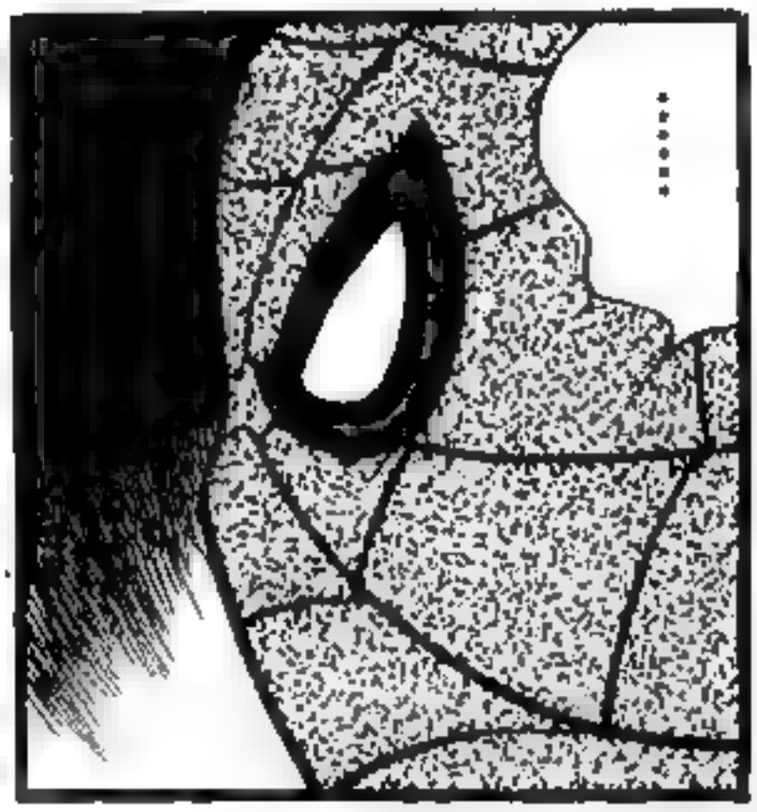
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HUH?

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THE KANGAROO ..!

WHY, YOU...

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I DIDN'T THINK YOU HAD THAT MUCH POWER..

HEHEHE... WHAT A SURPRISE.

GIVE BACK THE BACTERIA CAPSULE!

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I'M NOT AFRAID OF YOUR DROPKICKS!

I'M A SUPER-HERO!

I'M SORRY, BUT THE CAPSULE'S IN MY CHEST POCKET... SO...

HEHEHE... A SUPER-HERO...

HAHAHA!

URR-RRGH ..!!

WHAT DO YOU THINK WILL HAPPEN TO THE CAPSULE IF YOU ATTACK ME?

I'LL JUST HAVE TO WRAP HIM UP IN MY WEB FLUID!

DAMN!

CRAP! MY WEB FLUID...

FLOP

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NO ONE CAN
BEAT ME...

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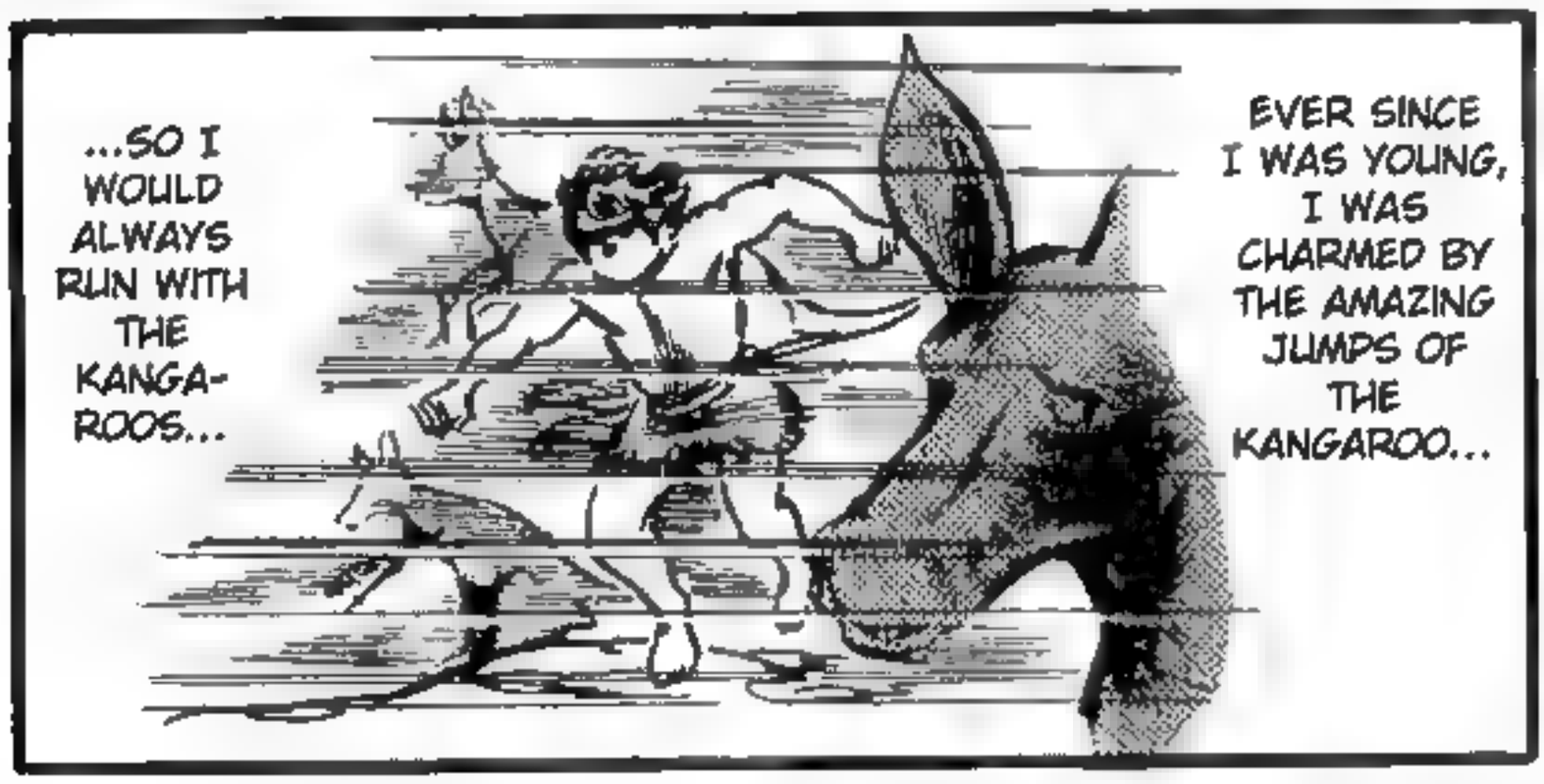

BUT WHILE I WAS DOING THAT, I REALIZED I HAD A DREADFUL POWER OF MY OWN...

IN THE RED CORNER, THE WILD MAN, THE KANGAROO!

A PRO WRESTLING PROMOTER FROM AMERICA CAME TO SCOUT ME...

AND THEN A CHANCE CAME...

BECAUSE IN THIS WORLD WHERE ONLY THE STRONG SURVIVE...

HAHAHAHA! I BECAME POPULAR IN AN INSTANT!

...WHEN I COULD SHOW OFF MY POWER!

...PROVED TO BE AN UNBELIEVABLE FORCE!

...MY POWER...

HAHAHA-HAHA!!

HAHAHAHA! ANY WRESTLER THAT HAS A TASTE OF MY DROP KICK WILL SPIT UP BLOOD AND STOP MOVING!

Y-YOU...

YOU'RE WAY TOO VIOLENT AND STRONG...

THAT'S WHY YOU CAME TO JAPAN...

THAT'S WHY YOU WERE BANISHED FROM AMERICAN PRO WRESTLING.

DIE!

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"

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SOME-
HOW...

Y-YOU...

...I'VE GOTTA
FIND A CHANCE TO
GET SOME WEB
FLUID READY...

I'M
SPIDER-MAN.

WHO
ARE YOU
ANYWAY!?

I TOLD YOU BEFORE! I HAVE SUPERPOWERS, JUST LIKE YOU!

I FOCUSED ALL MY POWER TO MY JAW!

WHY WON'T YOU DIE AFTER GETTING HIT BY MY DROP KICK!?

WHY!?

THAT'S THE ONLY EXPLANAT-ION...

...HAVE SUPER-POWERS ..?

I...I...

I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY TIMES I HAD TO SUFFER BECAUSE OF THOSE SUPERPOWERS...

HEHEHE-HEHEHE ...

HEHE...

DON'T YOU THINK SO?

LISTEN TO ME... IT'S NOT MY FAULT THAT I'M STRONGER THAN EVERYONE ELSE...

DON'T YOU THINK SO?

I SHOULDN'T BE BLAMED FOR BEING ABLE TO JUMP HIGHER AND STRONGER THAN ANYONE ELSE...

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ANSWER ME!!

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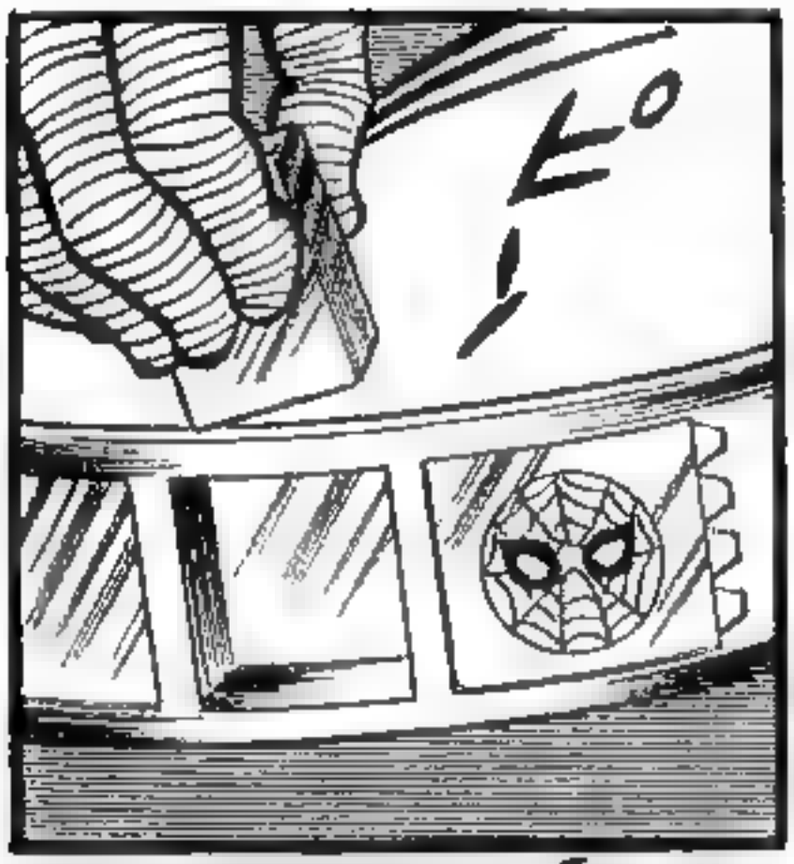

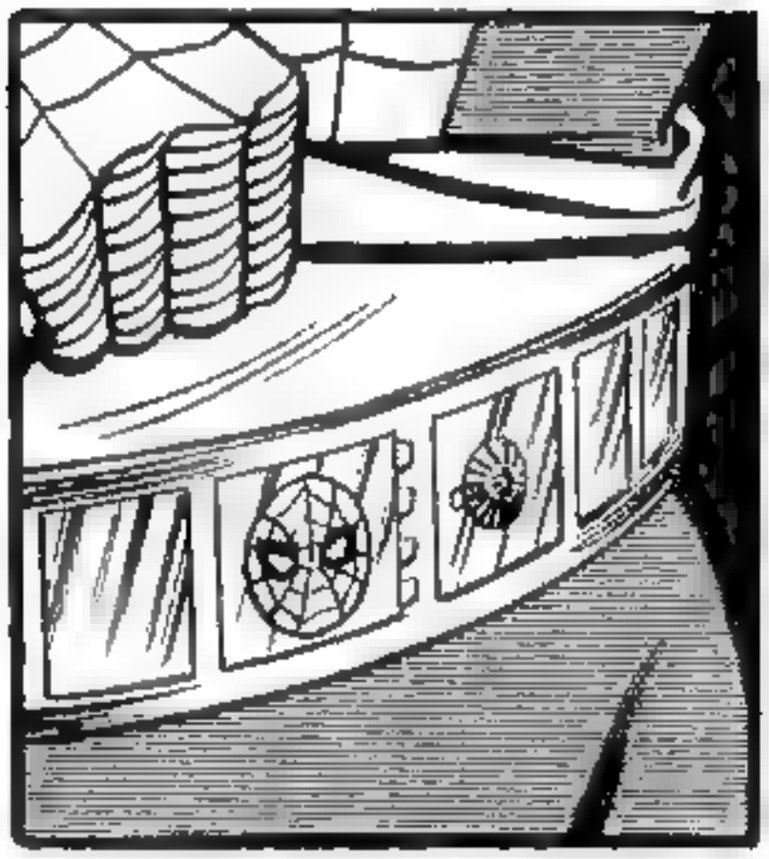

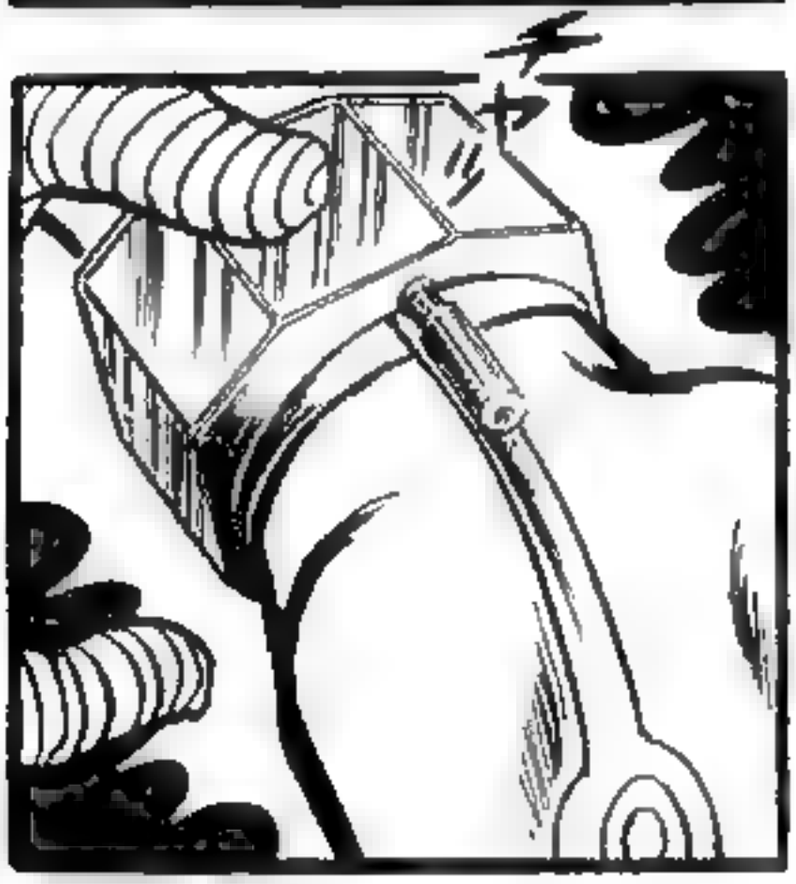

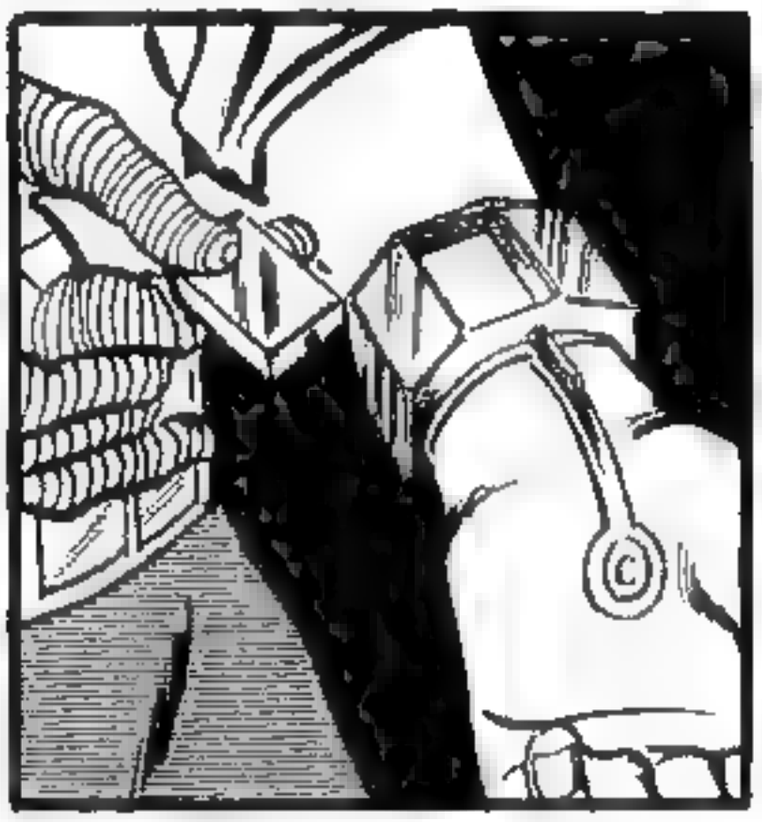

WAAAUGH!
I...I CAN'T SEE..!

WHY... WHY IS IT THAT
EVERY TIME I TRY TO
MAKE MONEY OFF MY POWER,
EVERY COUNTRY TREATS
ME AS A CRIMINAL..?

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AHHHHH!

WHY DOES
EVERYONE
HATE ME?

I DIDN'T WANT
TO HURT ANYONE!
I WAS JUST
TOO STRONG!

I DIDN'T DO ANYTHING WRONG! I WAS JUST TOO STRONG! IS THERE SOMETHING WRONG WITH THAT?

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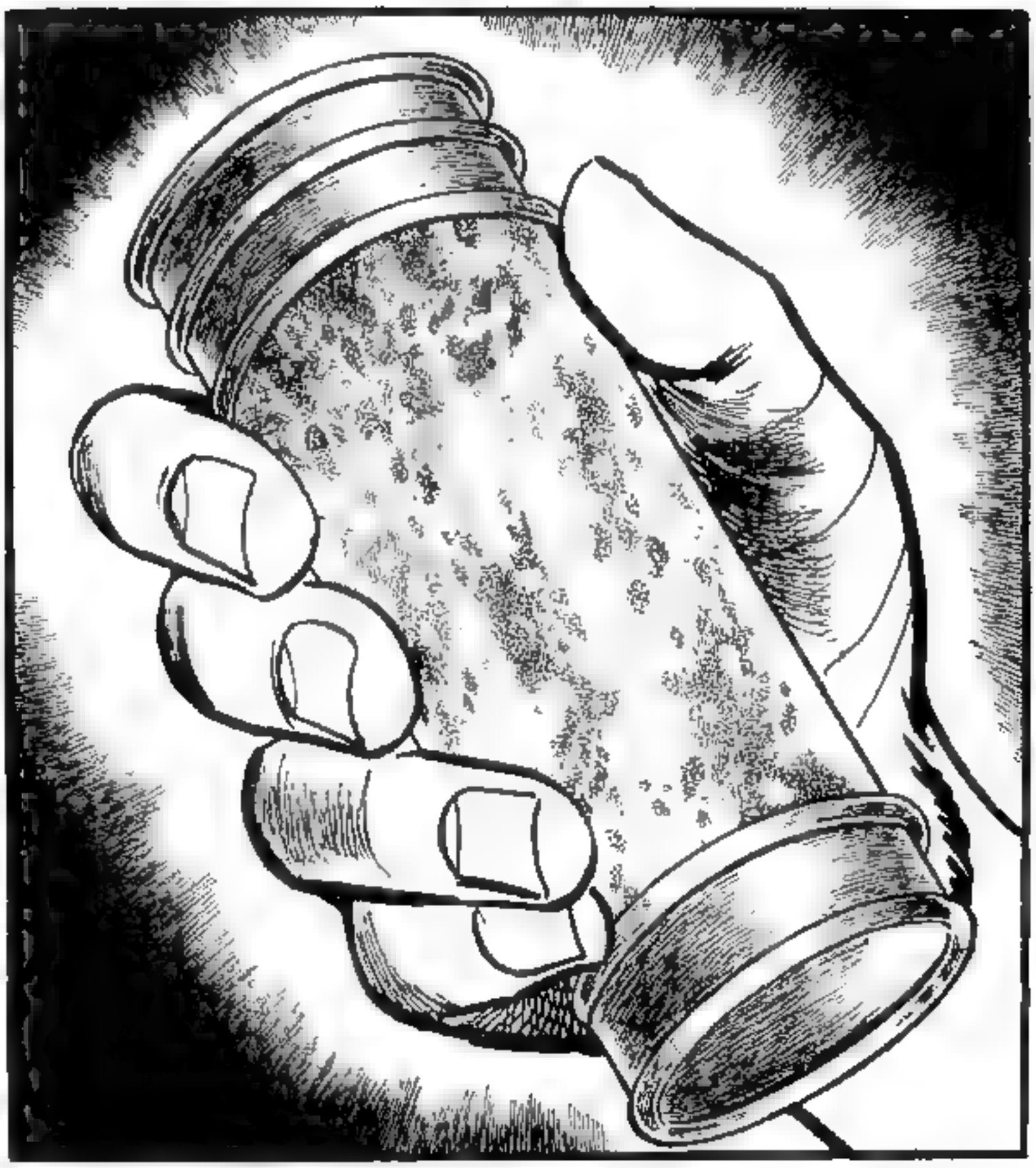
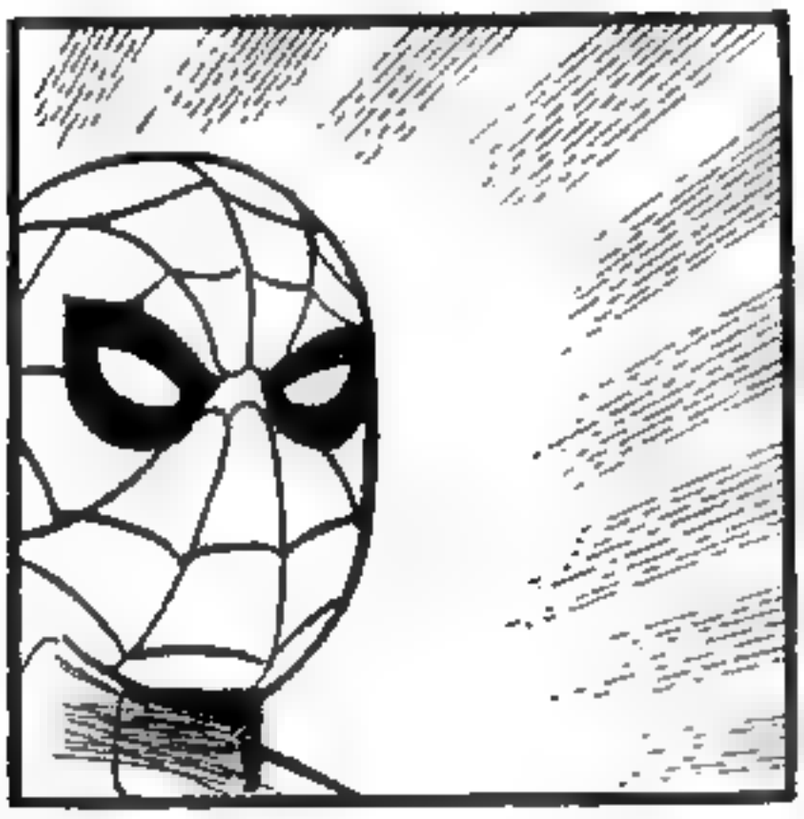
HEHEHE... BUT IF THEY'RE GOING TO HATE ME ANYWAY...

HUH!?

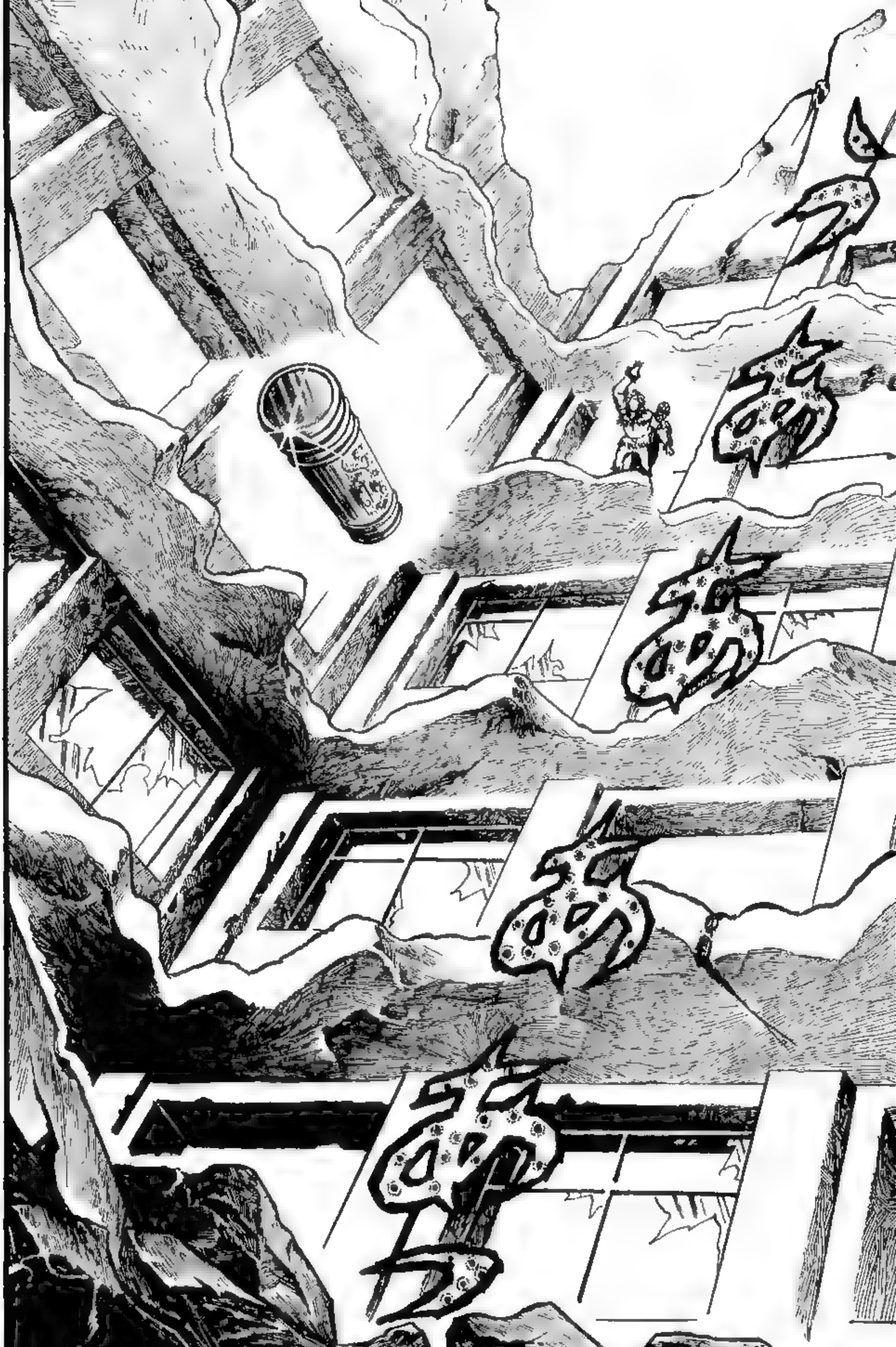


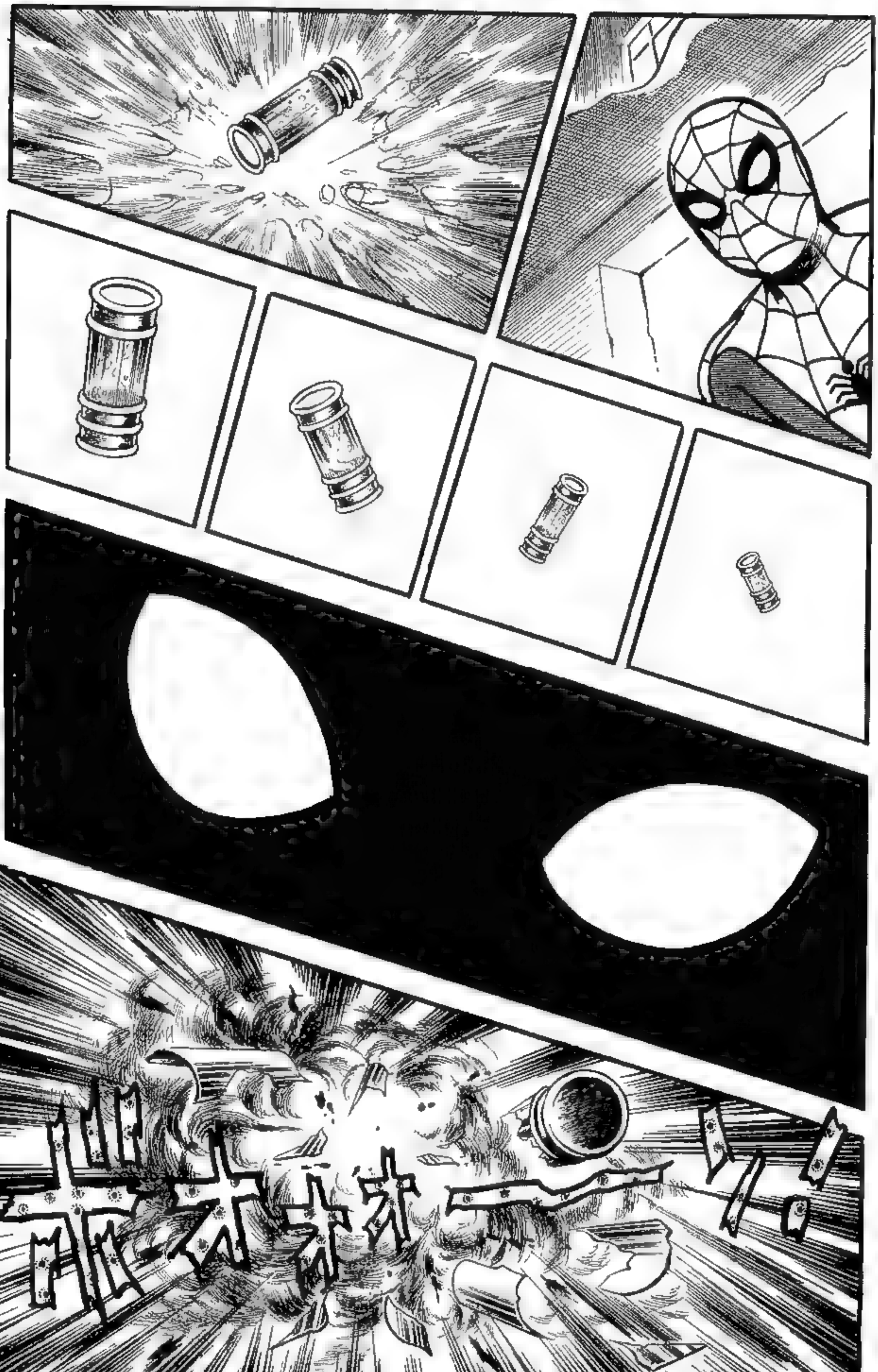


...JUST HOW GREAT THE KANGA-ROO IS!

S...STOP!

I'LL HAVE THE WORLD KNOW...





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IT'S A SPIDER !!

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KOMORI!

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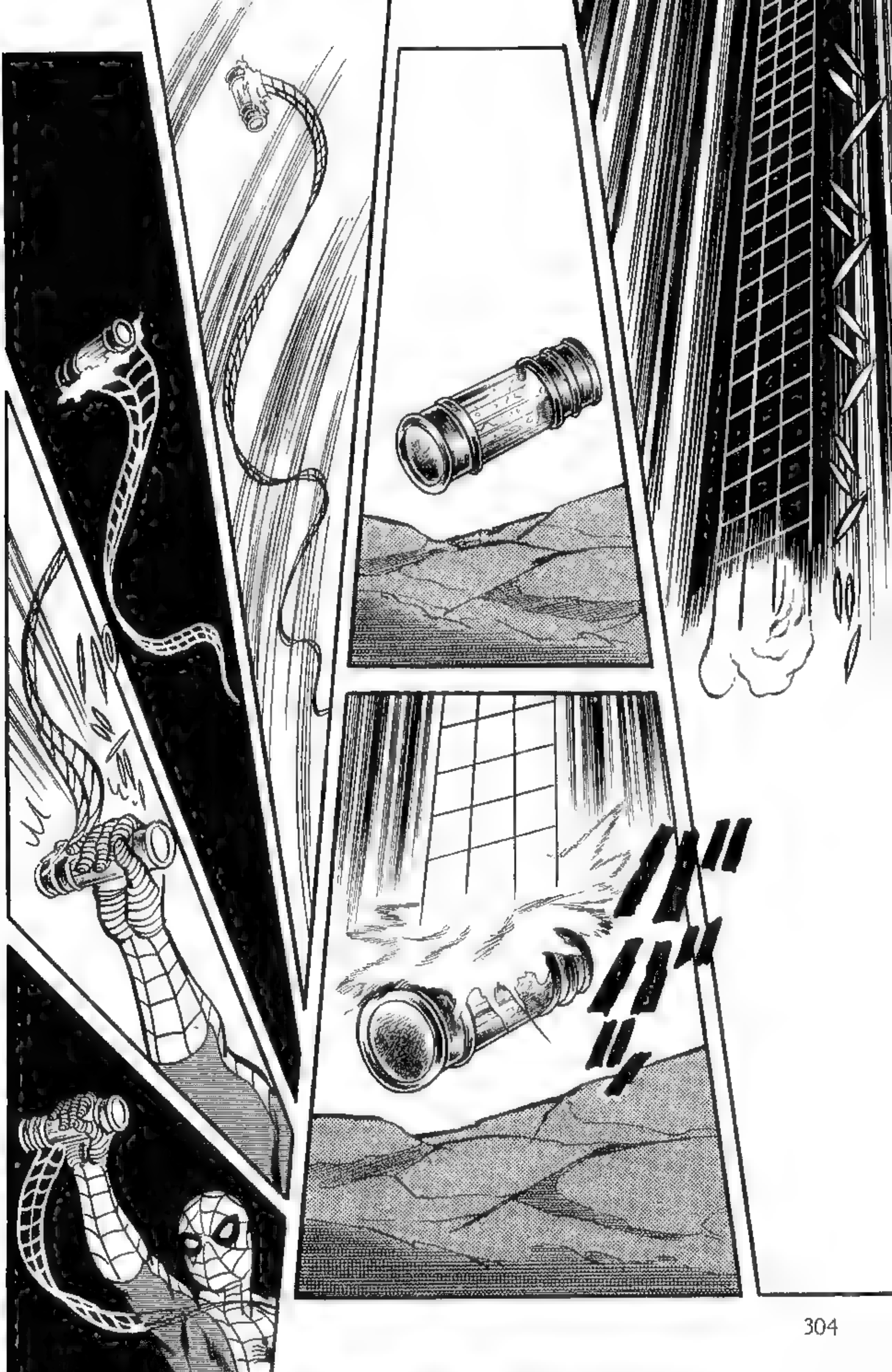
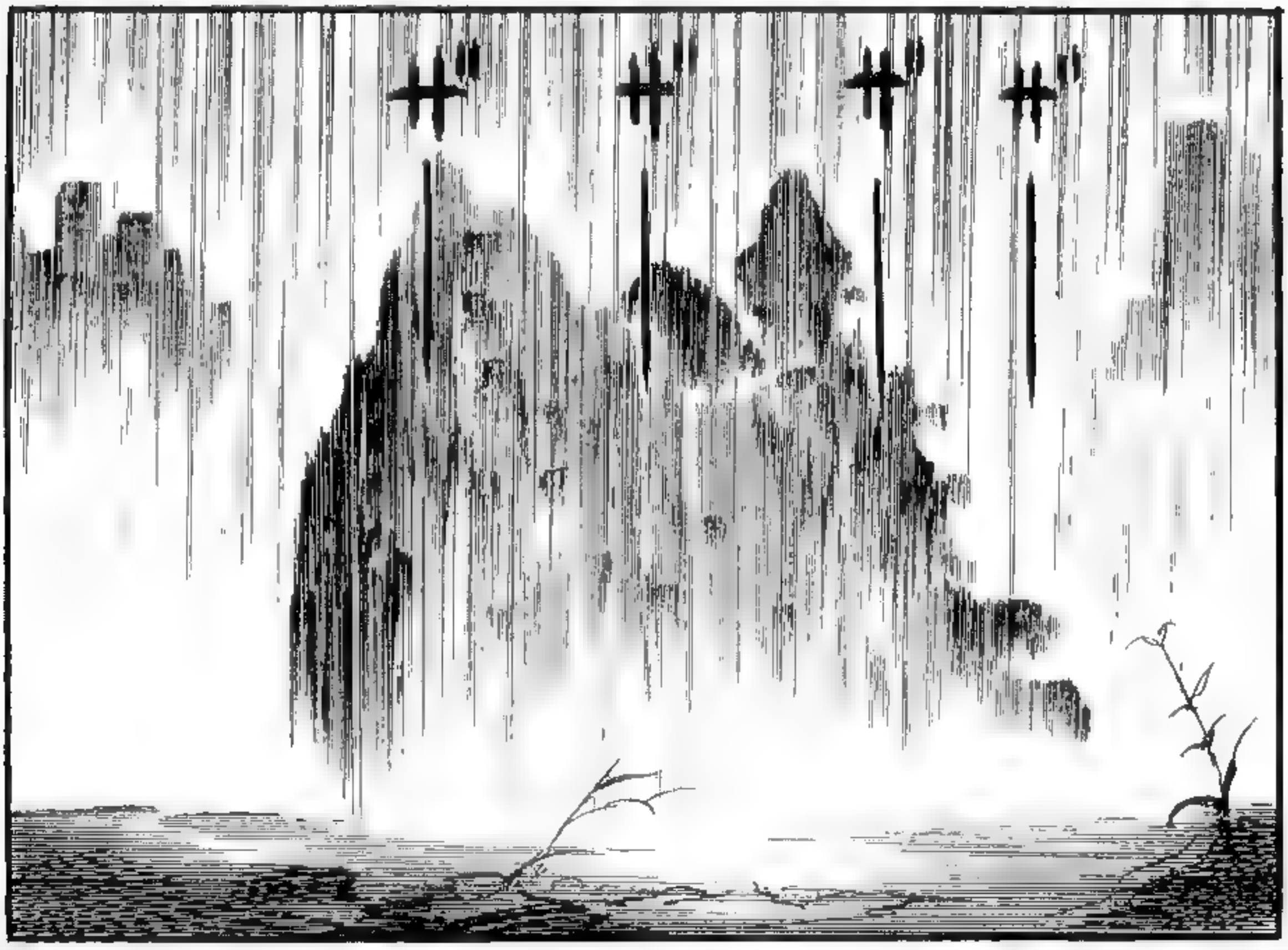
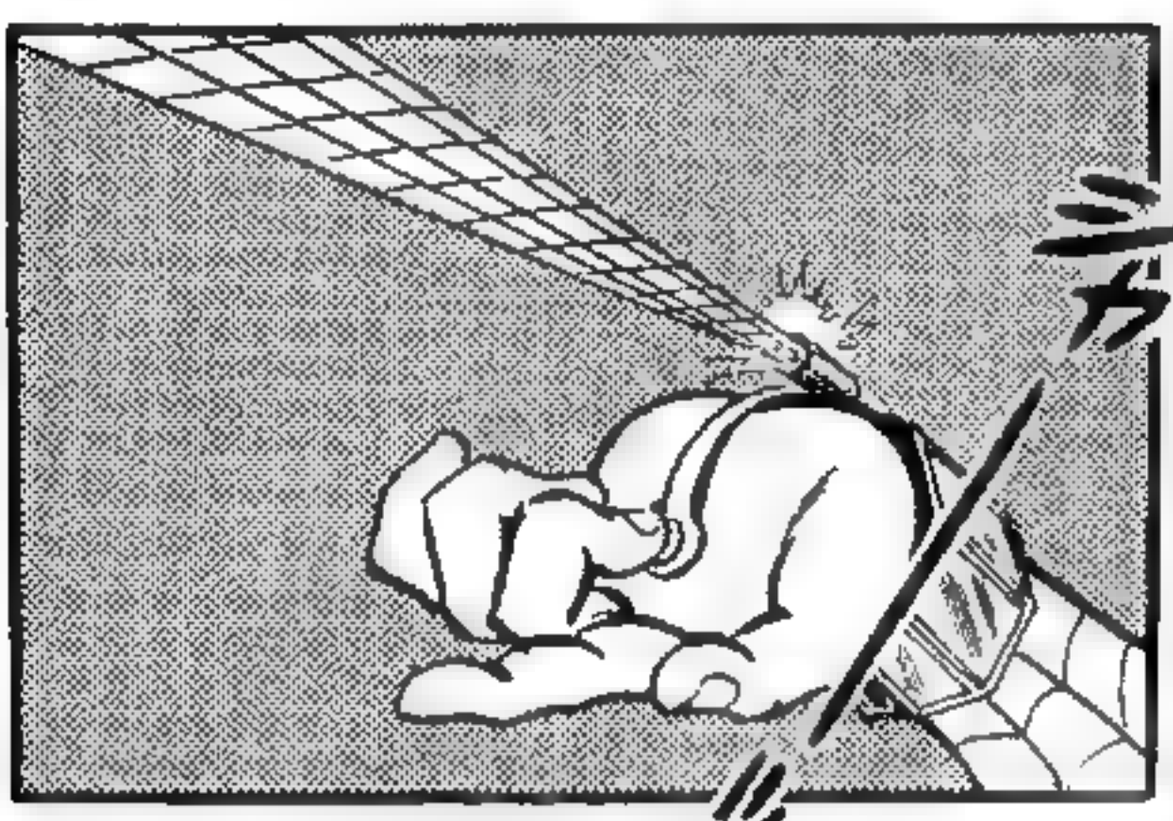
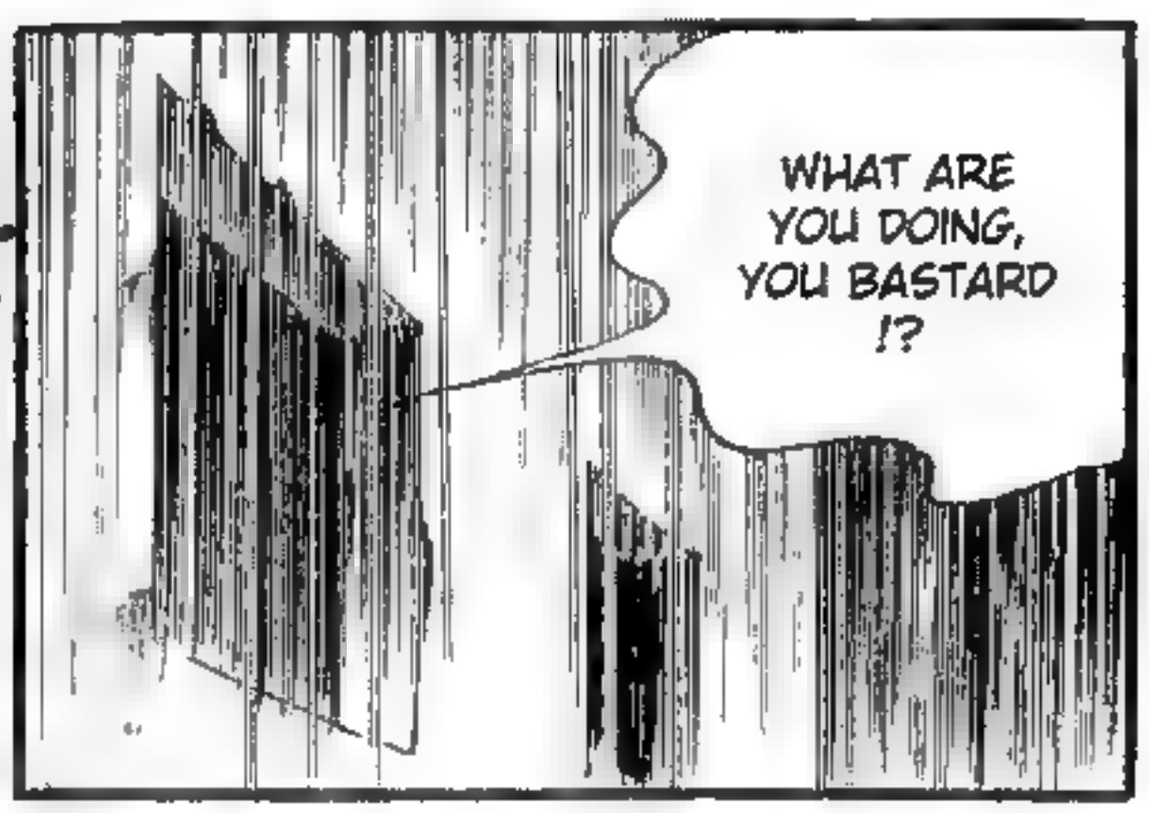
KOMORI!

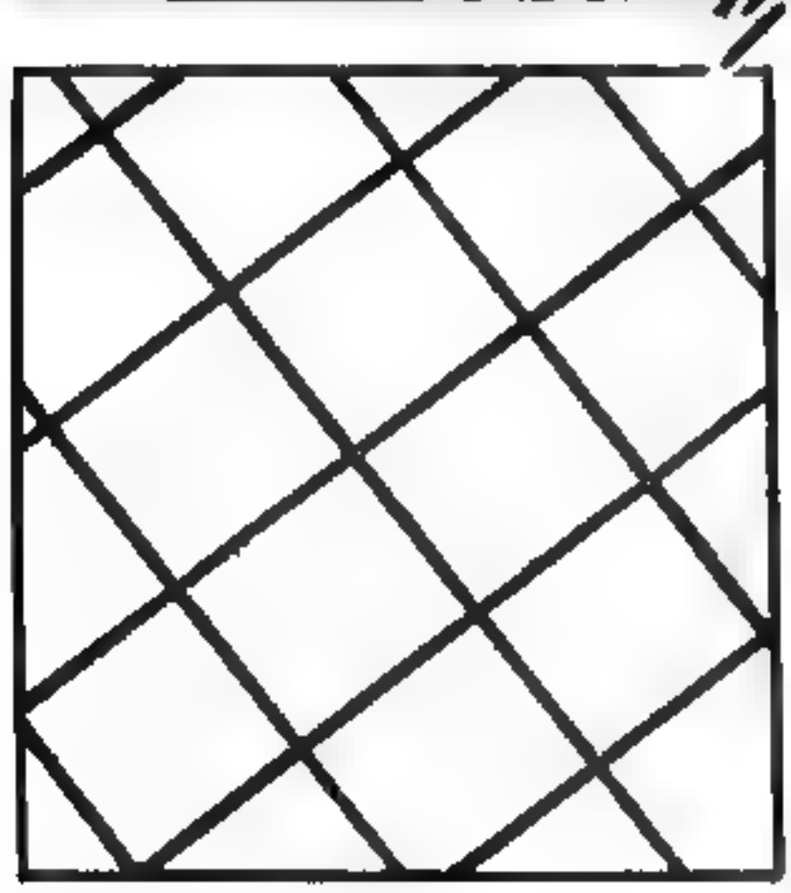
AH!

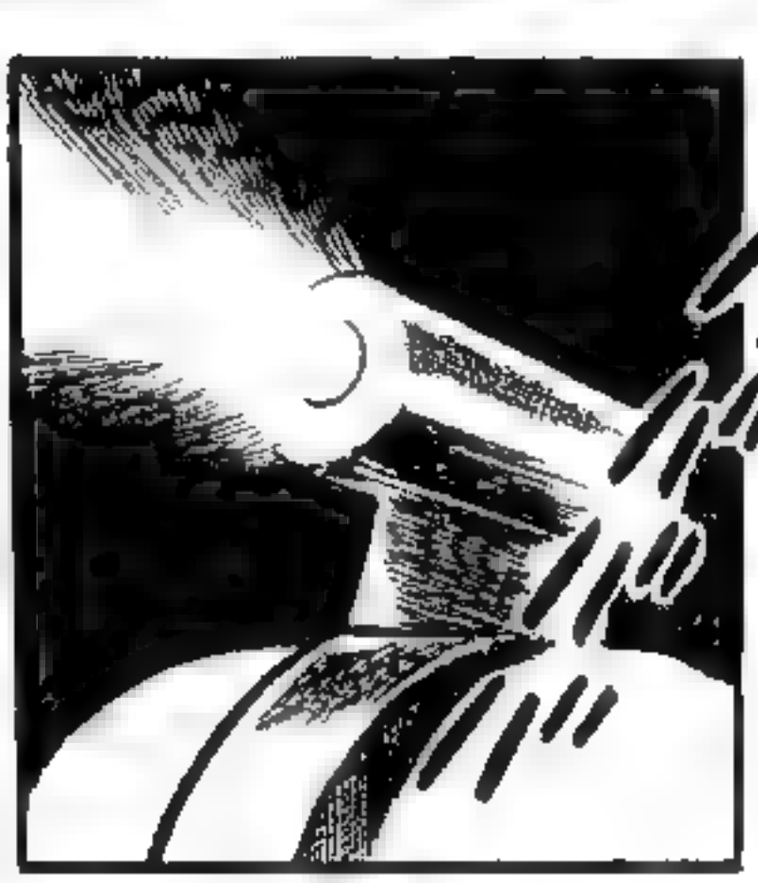


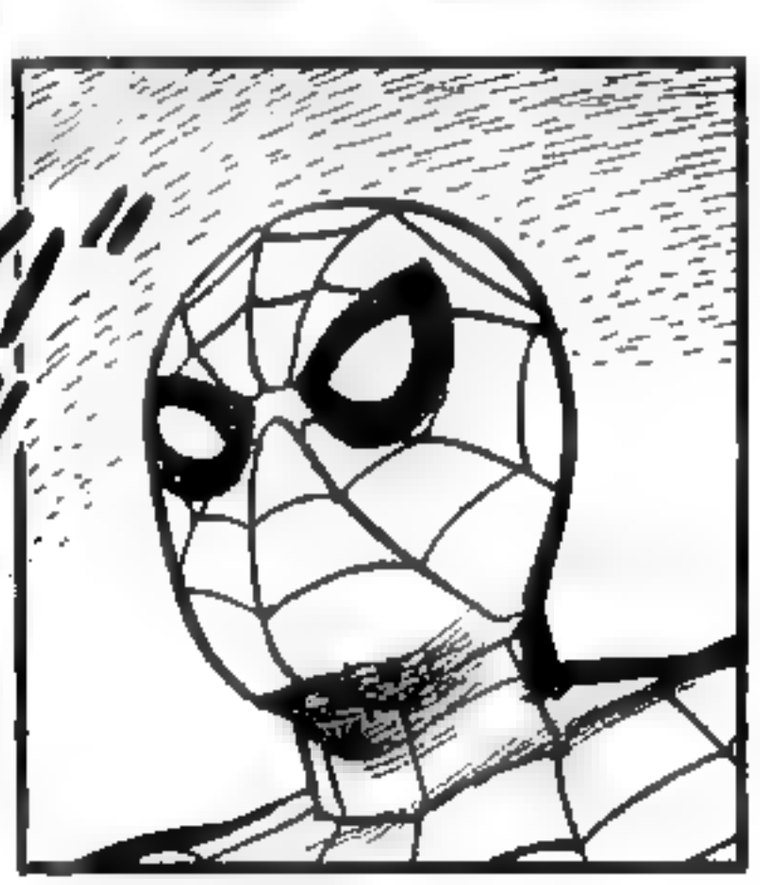





WHAT ARE YOU DOING, YOU BASTARD !?





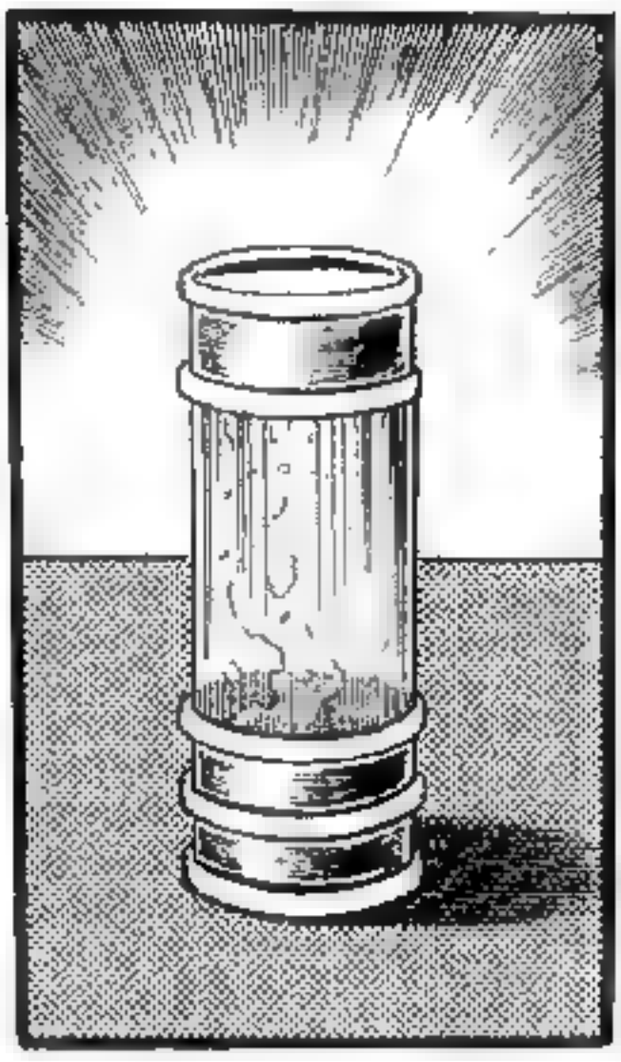


S-SHIT...

YOU'RE JUST...

YOU'RE JUST GONNA FOLLOW THE SAME FATE AS ME!

LOCAL POLICE STATION



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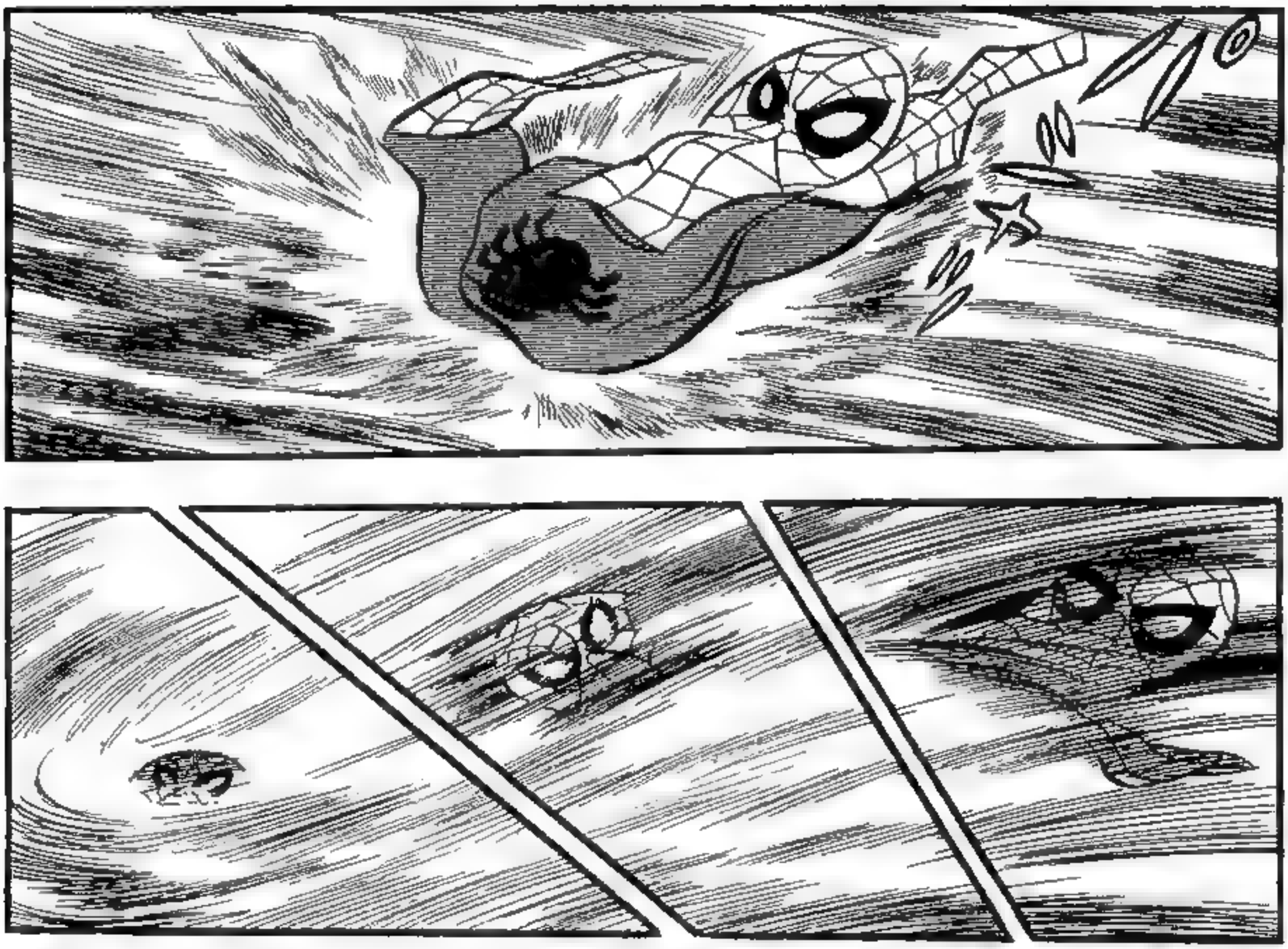

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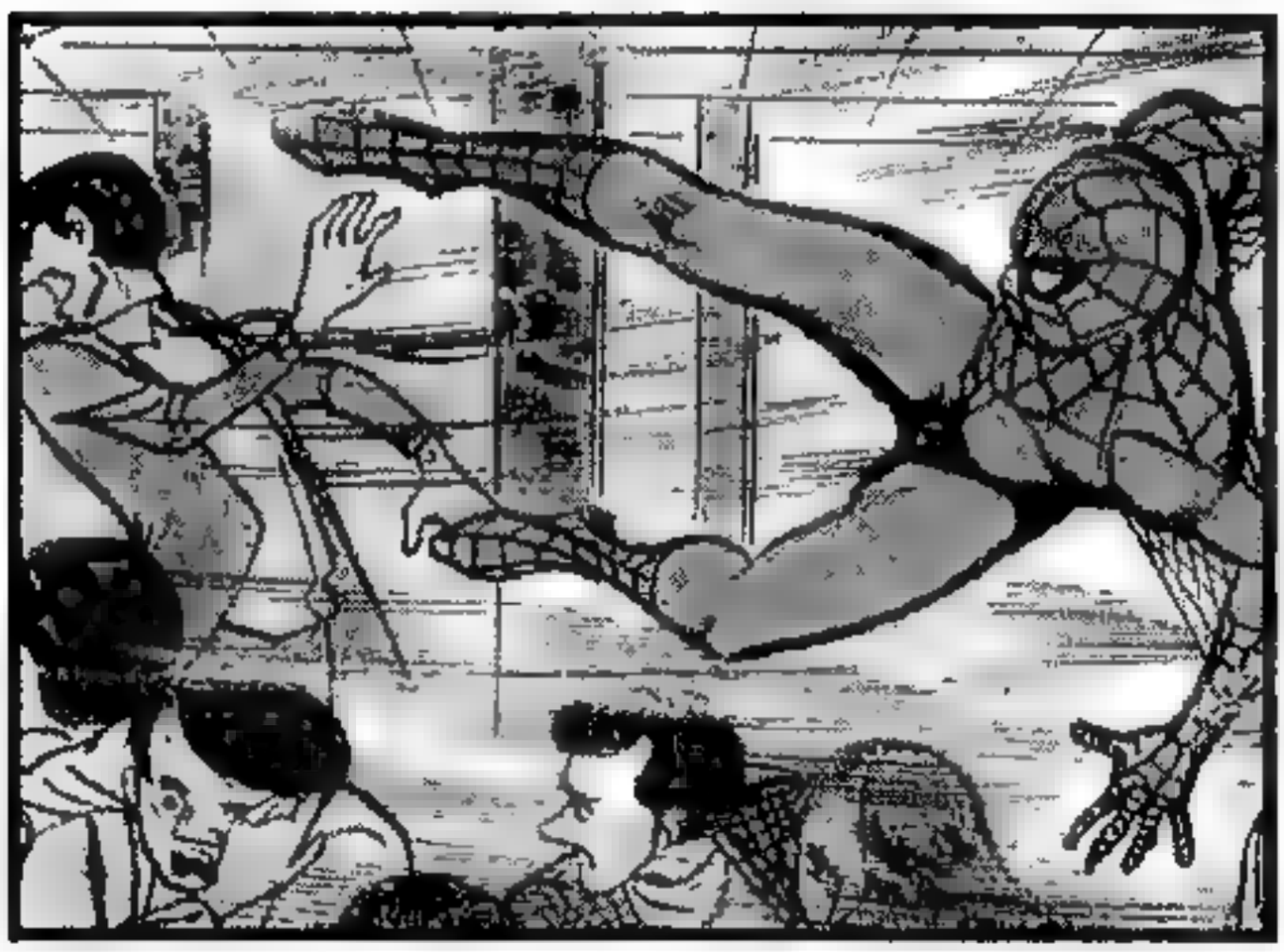

IT WAS A WEEK AGO... THAT HE CAUSED THAT INCIDENT...

HE WAS SURROUNDED BY A CROWD OF HIS YOUNG FANS.

THAT WAS THE DAY THE MOVIE STAR KAYAMA TOSHIO WAS COMING BACK FROM OVERSEAS.

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HIS MASK LOOKED LIKE BOB DYLAN, AND HIS POPULARITY WAS THROUGH THE ROOF!

I WAS ONE OF HIS FANS!...

YES, HE'S THE HERO OF MOVIES...

WHAT CAN I SAY...? KAYAMA TOSHIO'S ACTION MOVIES HAVE A FEELING THAT MAKES US YOUTH GO CRAZY

IT WAS WHEN HE CAME TO THE LOBBY, SURROUNDED BY FANS AND REPORTERS...

...THAT HE CAME OUT OF NOWHERE!

...THEN, MOWED DOWN ALL THE FANS-RUNNING AWAY.

WHAT WAS GOING ON!? HE KICKED DOWN A STAR

...HE LEFT WITH A SCORNFUL LAUGH!

AND JUST LIKE THAT ...

HIS FUTURE AS A STAR IN DOUBT!

KAYAMA TOSHIO'S FACE INJURED FOR A MONTH!

...GOES WILD AT TOKYO INTER-NATIONAL AIRPORT!

HAS HE GONE MAD!? SPIDER-MAN...!

THIS INCIDENT HAS BEEN A MAJOR SHOCK TO KAYAMA TOSHIO'S FANS ACROSS THE NATION.

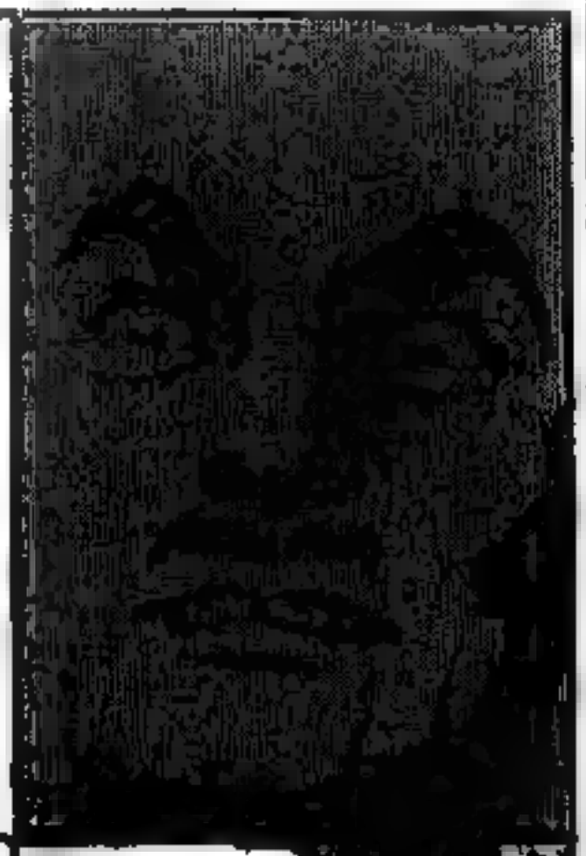
DOZENS OF OTHERS WERE INJURED...

...THE VOICES OF HATRED AGAINST HIM INCREASED!

AND WITH THE VOICES SYMPATHIZING WITH KAYAMA...

DEFEAT...

BREAKING NEWS!



...THE MENACE...

MAN!!

SPIDER-

HOWEVER...

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HE'S...

HE'S A FAKE SPIDER-MAN!

I FEARED THAT I WOULD BECOME A TERRIBLE MONSTER IF I CONTINUED AS SPIDER-MAN...

I'M SURE... I THREW MY COSTUME INTO THE RIVER..

WHO IS IT!?

WHO IS THE EVIL FAKE SPIDER-MAN!?

AND...

HE CAN FREELY CONTROL SPIDER-WEBS AND HAS THE SAME SUPERPOWER AS ME...

...TO BRING SPIDER-MAN'S REPUTATION TO THE GROUND...

...HE'S A DESPICABLE GUY CAUSING ALL THESE IRREPARABLE INCIDENTS...

HEHE...

HAHAHAHA! THIS IS RIDICULOUS...

...I ALREADY DECIDED TO GIVE UP SPIDER-MAN FOREVER.

SO...

YU!

AH! AUNT!

...WHY SHOULD I CARE ABOUT WHAT THIS FAKE SPIDER-MAN DOES?

HOWEVER MUCH PEOPLE HATE HIM, IT'S GOT NOTHING TO DO WITH ME!

I'LL CLEAN IT UP LATER, SO LET'S DO LUNCH.

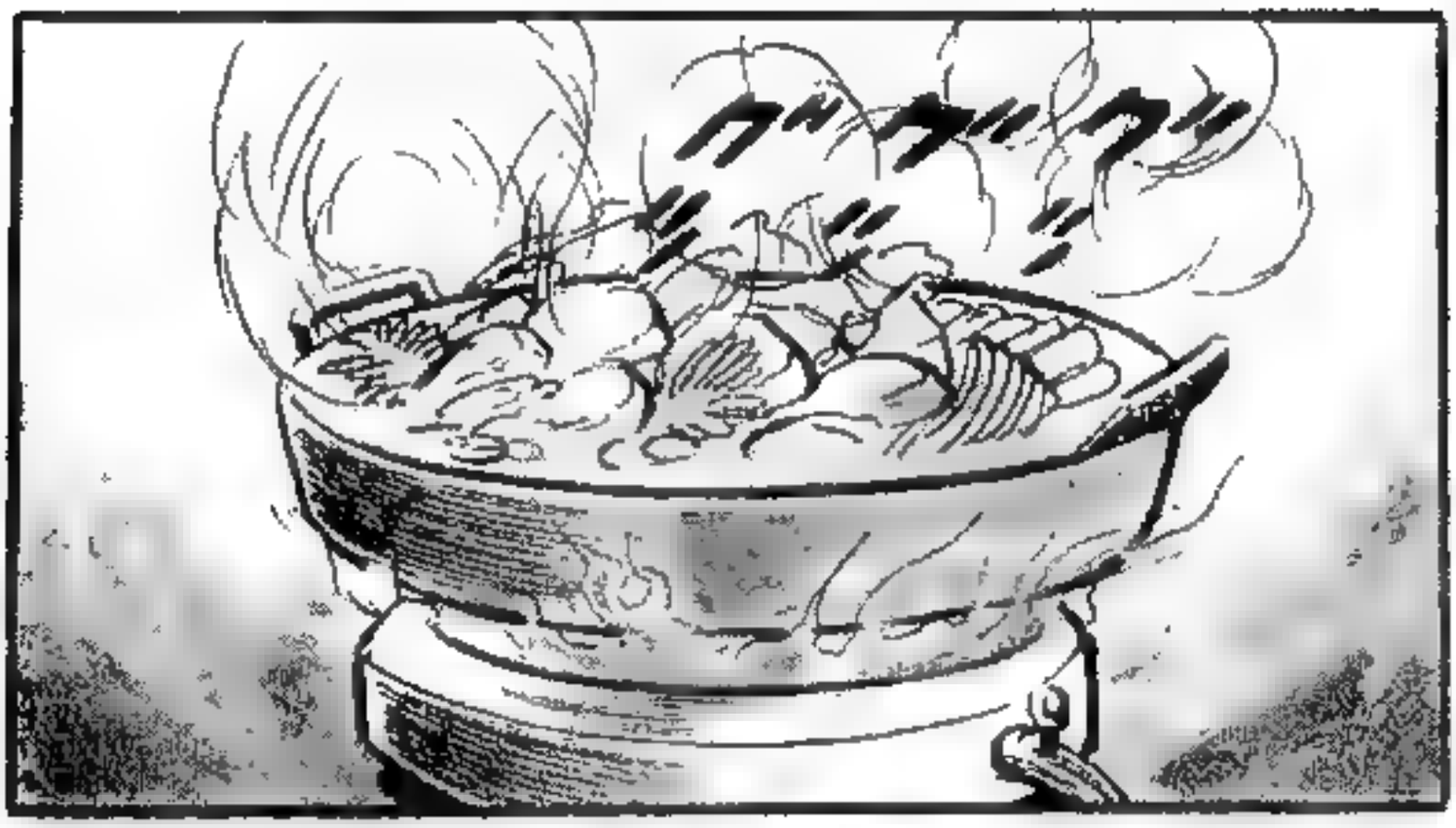
IT'S FINE.

WOW! YOU REALLY MADE A MESS OF THIS PLACE!

YOU'RE GETTING BETTER AT THE GUITAR, AREN'T YOU?

YES!

CRAP! I WAS JUST GONNA CLEAN IT UP...



EAT UP AS MUCH AS YOU LIKE!
OKAY, YU! IT'S BOILING!

QUIET..!
OH, MORE NEWS OF SPIDER-MAN?

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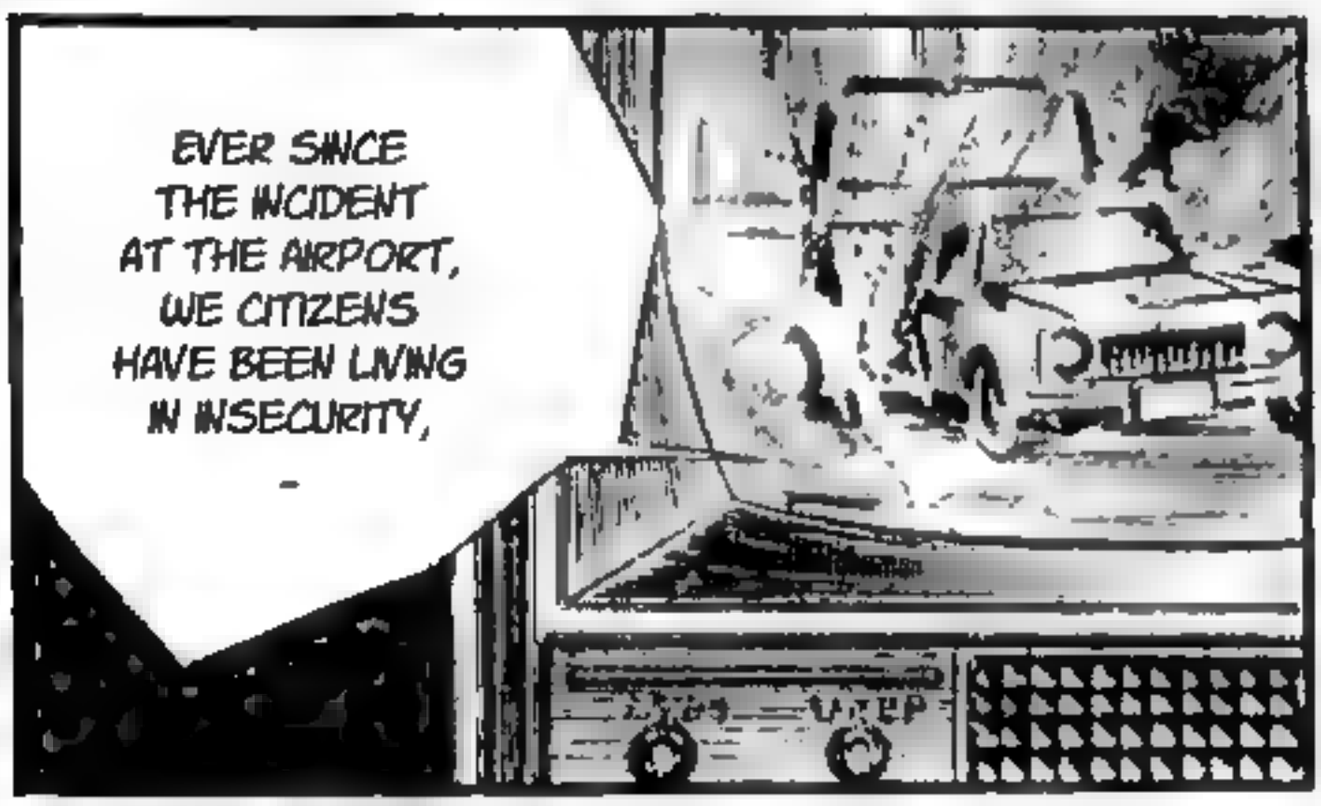
EVER SINCE THE INCIDENT AT THE AIRPORT, WE CITIZENS HAVE BEEN LIVING IN INSECURITY,
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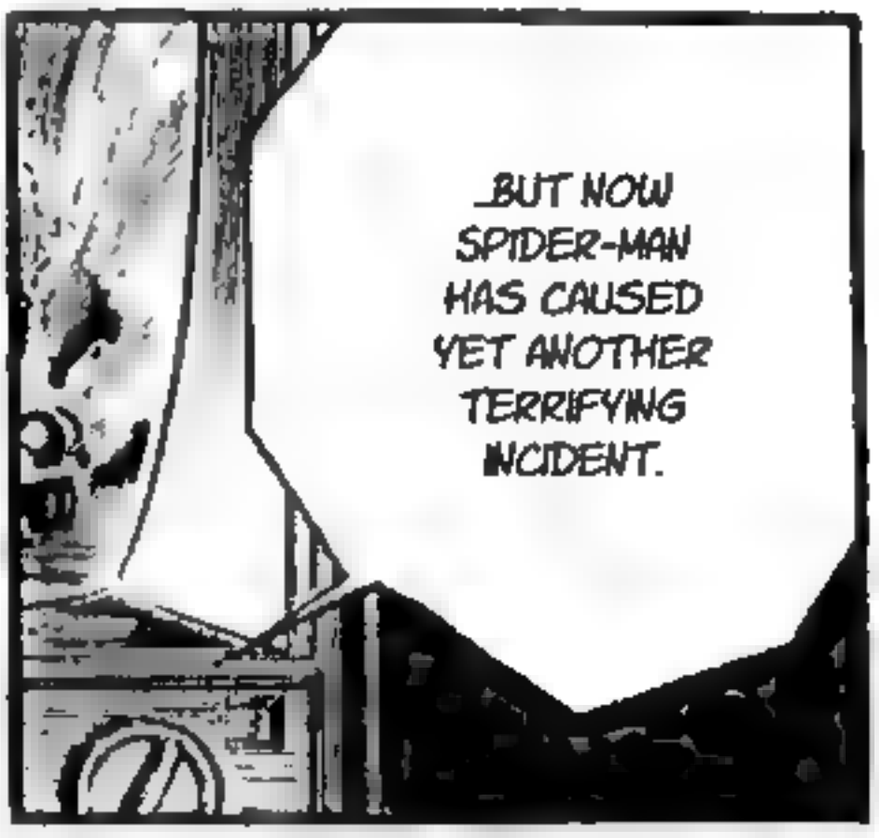
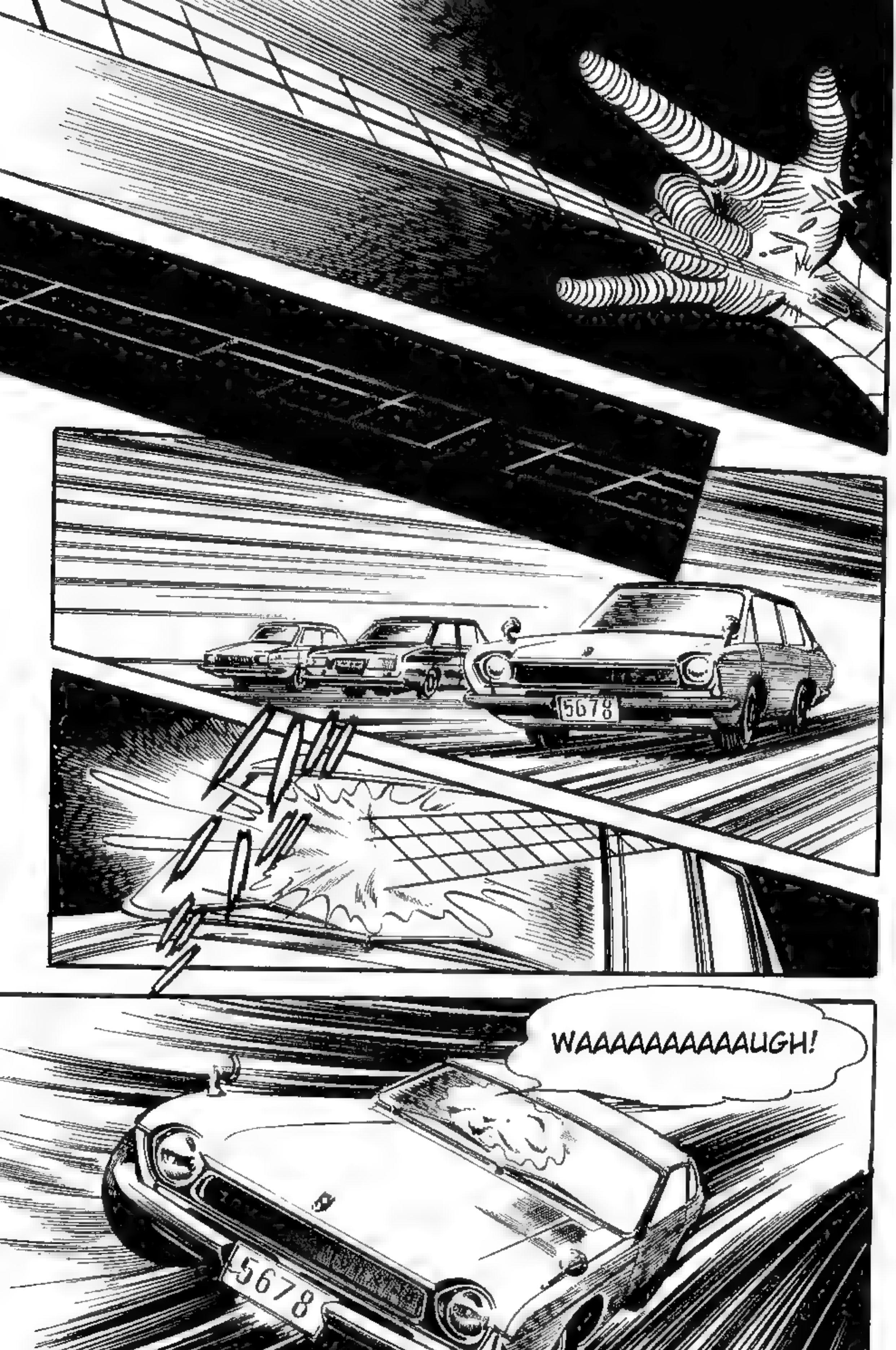

BUT NOW SPIDER-MAN HAS CAUSED YET ANOTHER TERRIFYING INCIDENT.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EEEEEEEK!
AHHHHHHHH!

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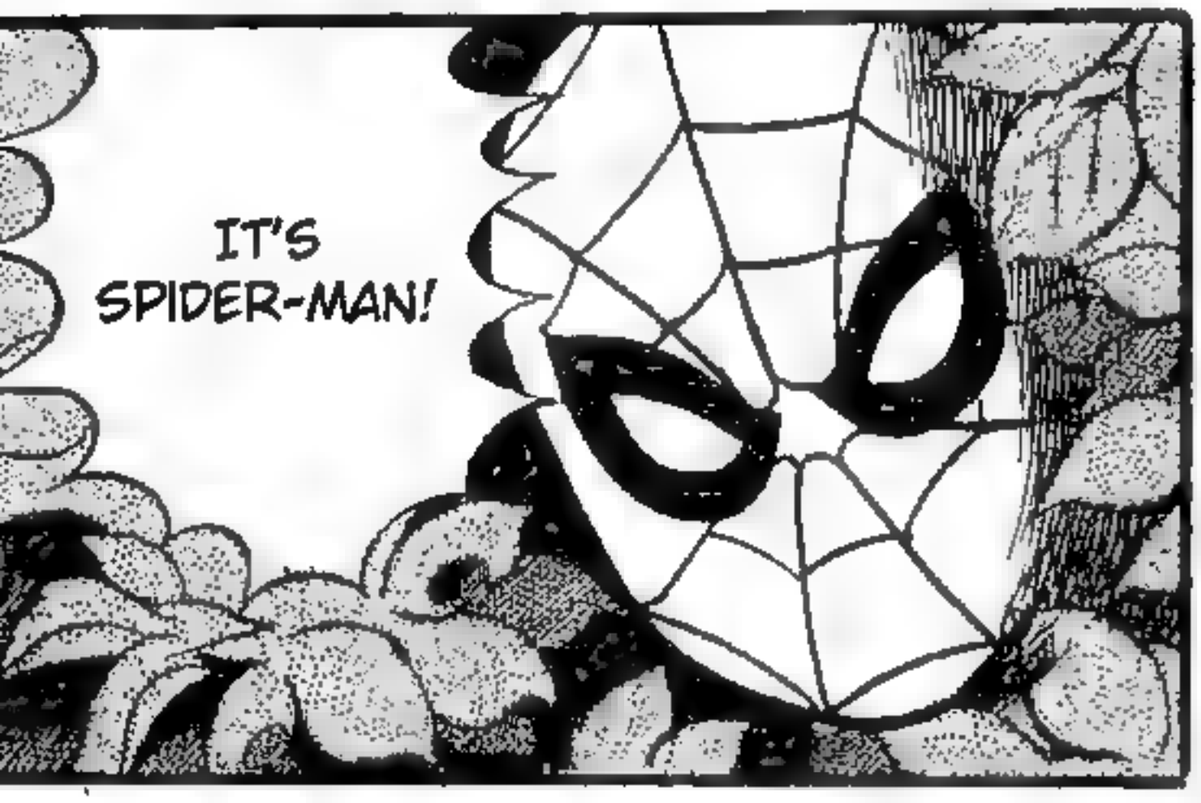
IT'S SPIDER-MAN!

ZZZZ!!!

WHO DID THAT!?

AHAHAHA...

HE'S RUNNING AWAY ON A PARACHUTE MADE OF SPIDER WEBS!

...DO NOT SEEM TO HAVE ROBBERY AS THEIR GOAL. WHAT COULD HIS MOTIVE BE.?

THESE MALIGNANT ACTIONS OF SPIDER-MAN...

THE ONLY POSSIBLE EXPLANATION IS THAT HE IS JUST PLAYING AROUND WITH HIS SUPERPOWERS.

IF THAT IS TRUE...

HE HAS SUPERPOWERS.

AND...

THE POLICE CAN'T CAPTURE HIM EASILY. THIS IS GETTING TERRIBLE.

...IS THAT THERE ARE MORE AND MORE CHILDREN THAT ADMIRE SPIDER-MAN'S SUPERPOWERS.

WHAT'S MORE SCARY...

...THEN THERE IS NO CRIMINAL MORE FEARSOME THAN THIS.

NOTHING IS MORE DANGEROUS THAN HIS SUPERPOWERS. THERE'S NO TELLING WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN.

I'M NOT SPIDER-MAN ANYMORE!

NO... I DON'T CARE ABOUT THAT!

HE'S A FAKE! THAT SPIDER-MAN'S A FAKE!

THE TRUTH IS...

Y...YEAH...

WHAT'S THE MATTER, YU? AREN'T YOU HUNGRY?

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...YU!

I DON'T HAVE ANY APPETITE, AUNT.

NO, THAT'S NOT IT AT ALL, AUNT!

I'LL GO BUY YOU SOME MEDICINE!

ARE YOU NOT FEELING WELL?

GOOD NIGHT!

IT'S NOTHING! REALLY!

NO...

HUH!?

SO ARE YOU WORRIED ABOUT SOMETHING?

YOUR PEN PAL RUMI IS COMING TOMORROW!

YU!

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A-I

OH, YEAH! I COMPLETELY FORGOT!

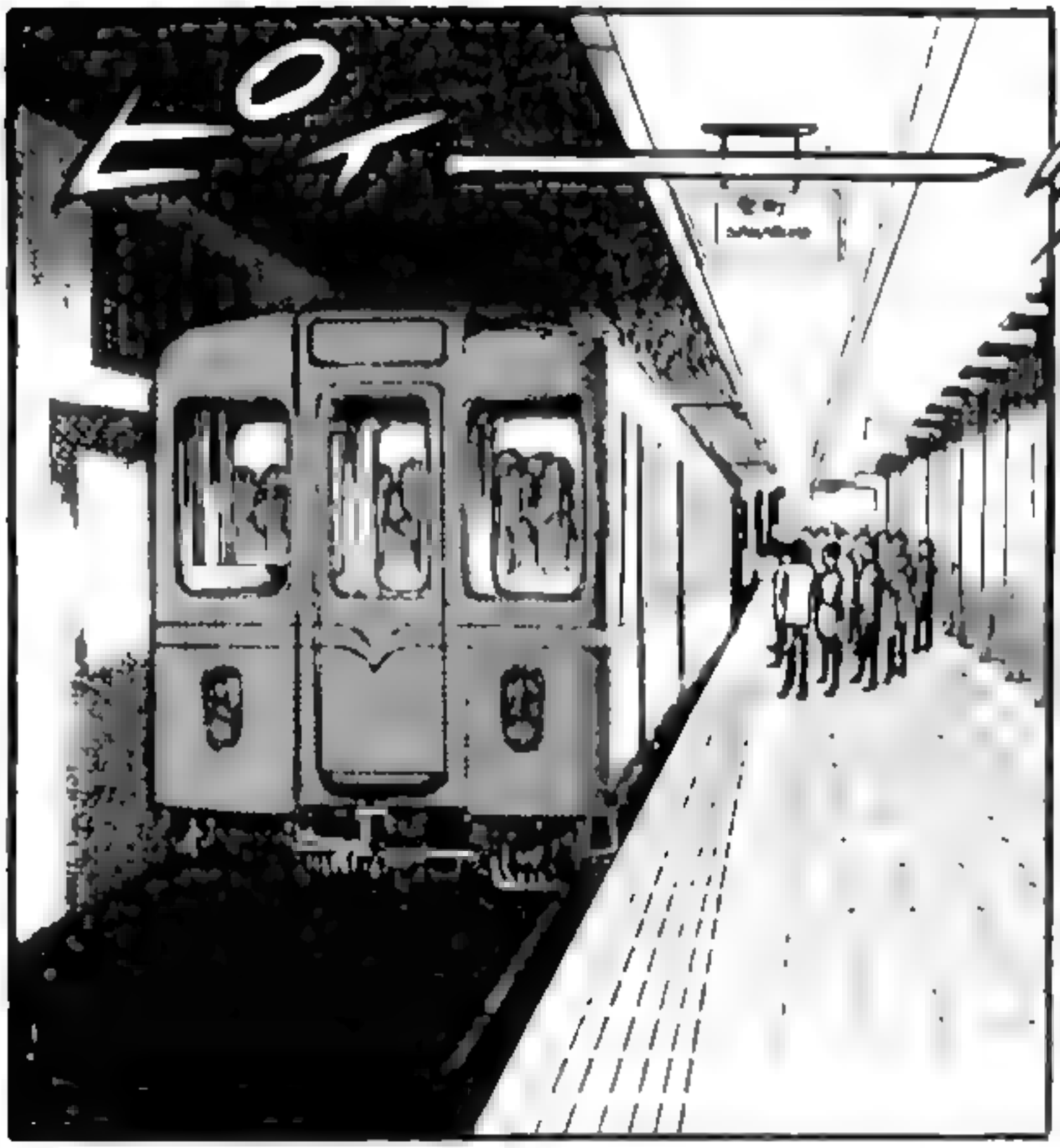
I'LL EAT! I'LL EAT! I'M COMING TO EAT, AUNT!

RUMI'S COMING TO TOKYO FROM HOKKAIDO TOMORROW!

ムギュ

ドスン

AHHH!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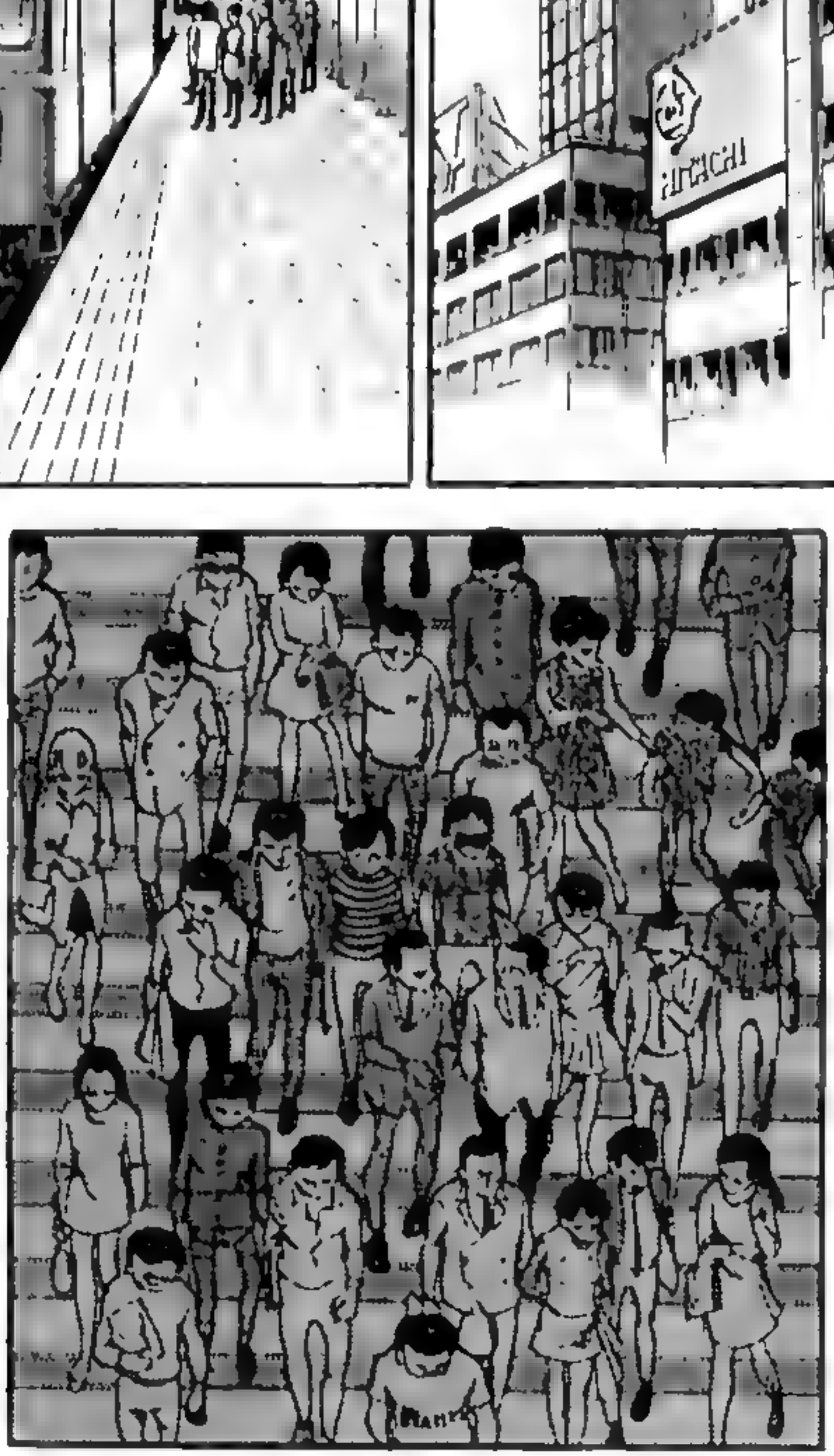

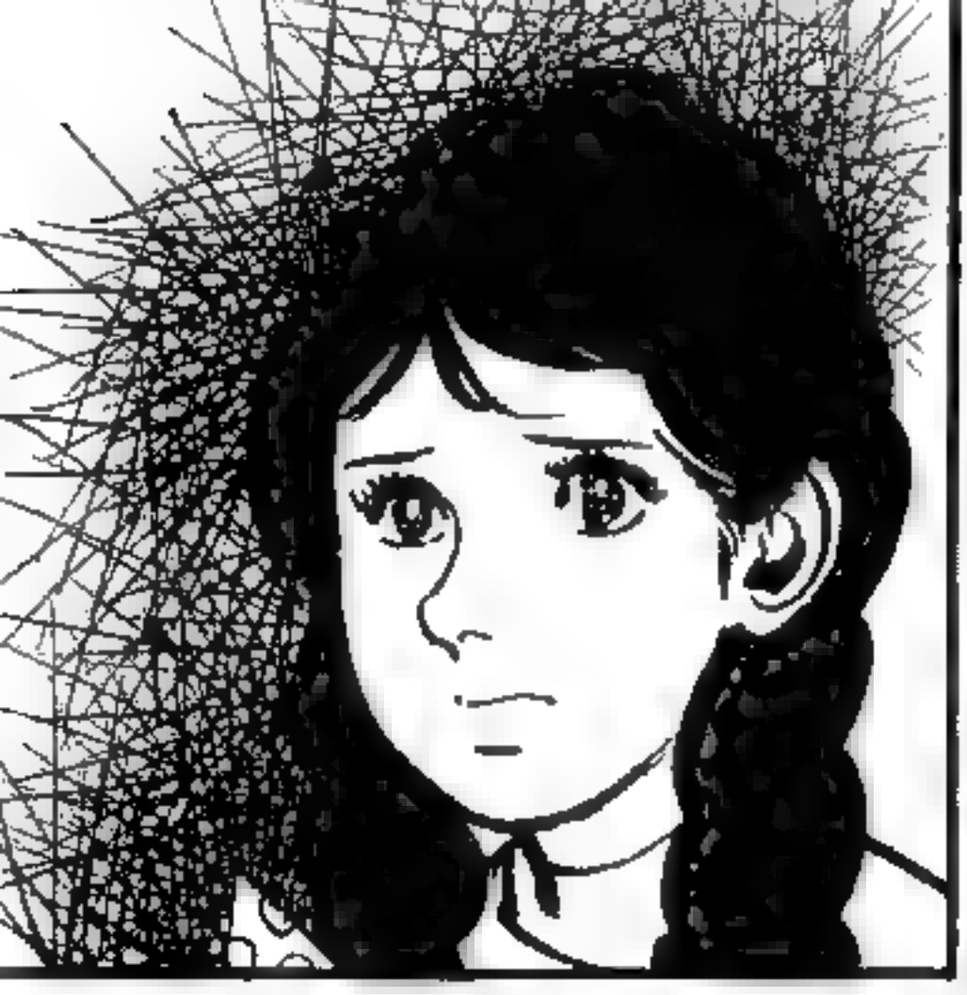

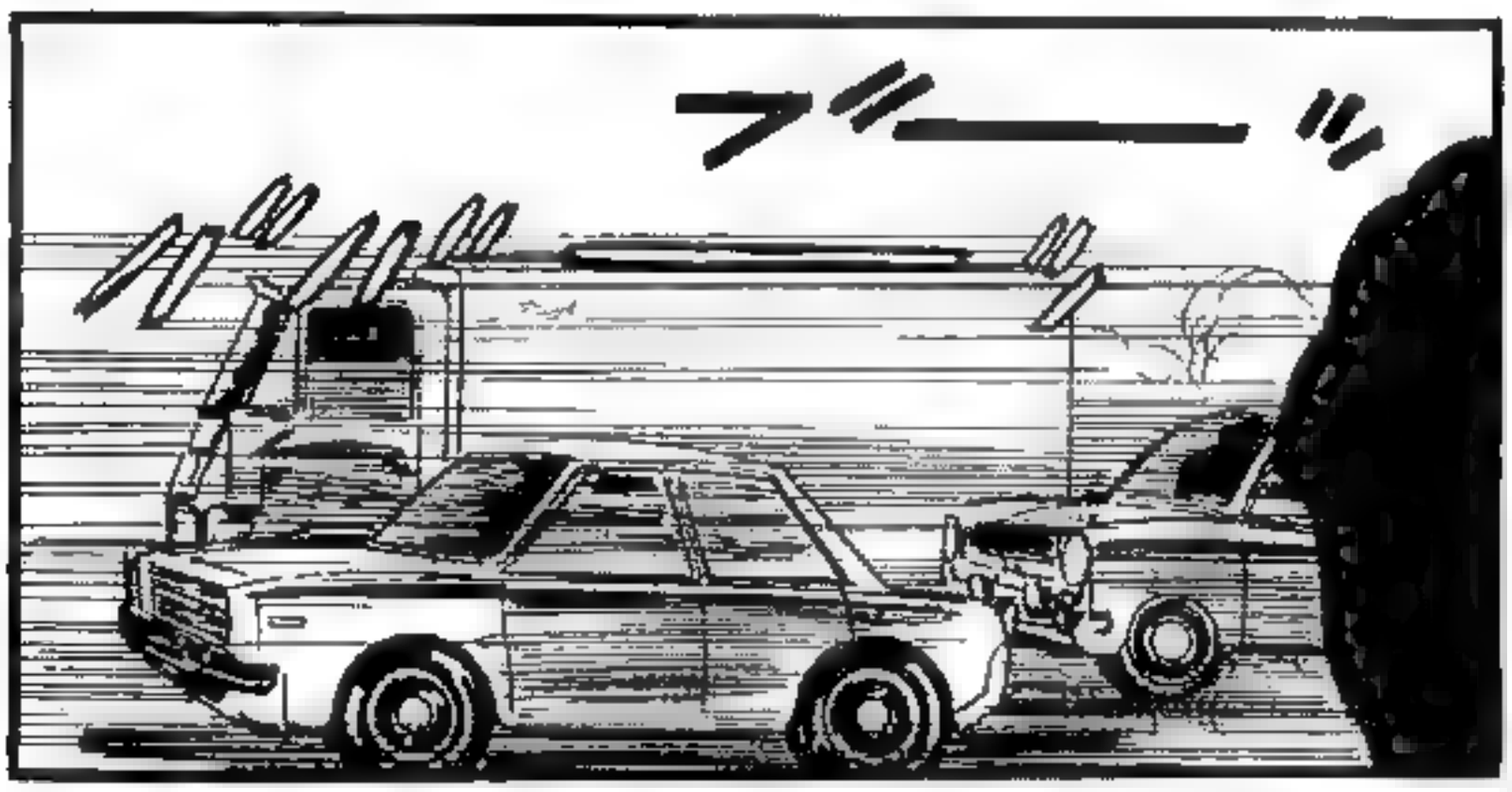

WE WERE SUPPOSED TO MEET HERE A WHILE AGO...

KOMORI..
WHAT COULD BE THE MATTER ..?

...AND I'M SURE THAT MUST'VE BEEN A PROBLEM FOR KOMORI...
I WROTE HIM A LETTER ONE-SIDEDLY TELLING HIM I'M COMING TO TOKYO...

...I'M TOO DEPENDENT ON HIM...
I GUESS ...

ゴゴゴ

IT'S KOMORI!

RUMI!

R-RUMI...
WAAAAH!

SIGN: BUS.

I'M SORRY, RUMI.

I KNOW YOUR MOTHER PASSED AWAY... BUT I...

YU...

I DON'T KNOW HOW I SHOULD COMFORT YOU!

I WAS REALLY SHOCKED WHEN I READ YOUR LETTER.

.....

WE GOT HER IN THE HOSPITAL, BUT IT WAS TOO LATE...

YOU'RE RIGHT!

YU, THE BUS IS HERE!

AH!

CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE!

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YES!

LET'S GO TO MY HOUSE AND TALK WITH MY AUNT ABOUT THE FUTURE!

SILLY YU, LEAVING HIS ROOM IN A MESS WHEN HIS GIRLFRIEND'S COMING OVER...

PHEW...

BUT STILL...

...

...WHY IS HE COLLECTING SO MANY ARTICLES ABOUT SPIDER-MAN..?

OH, MY!

T...THIS IS...

YU'S...

I...IT CAN'T BE...

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THAT CAN'T BE TRUE!

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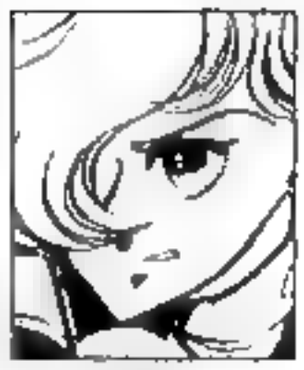

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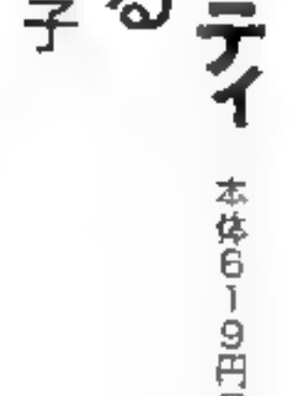

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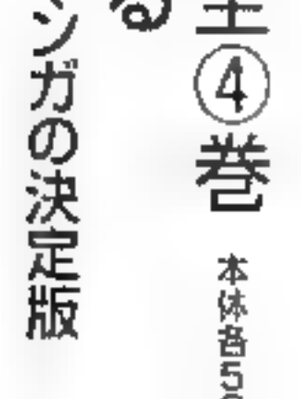

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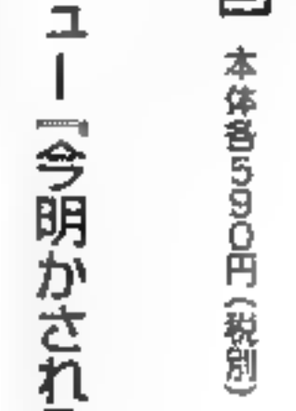

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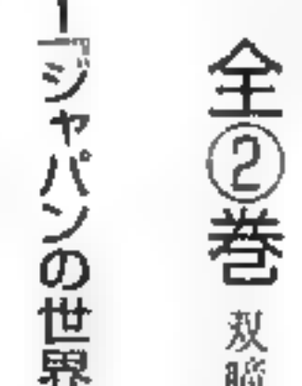

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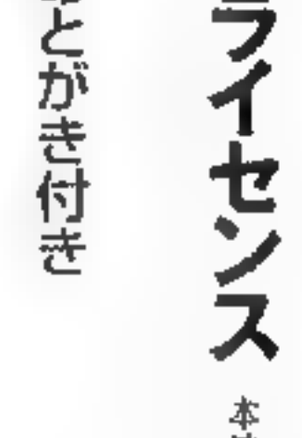

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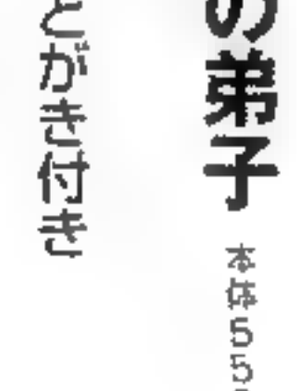

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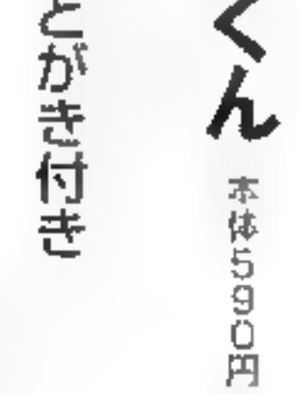

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自然を守る

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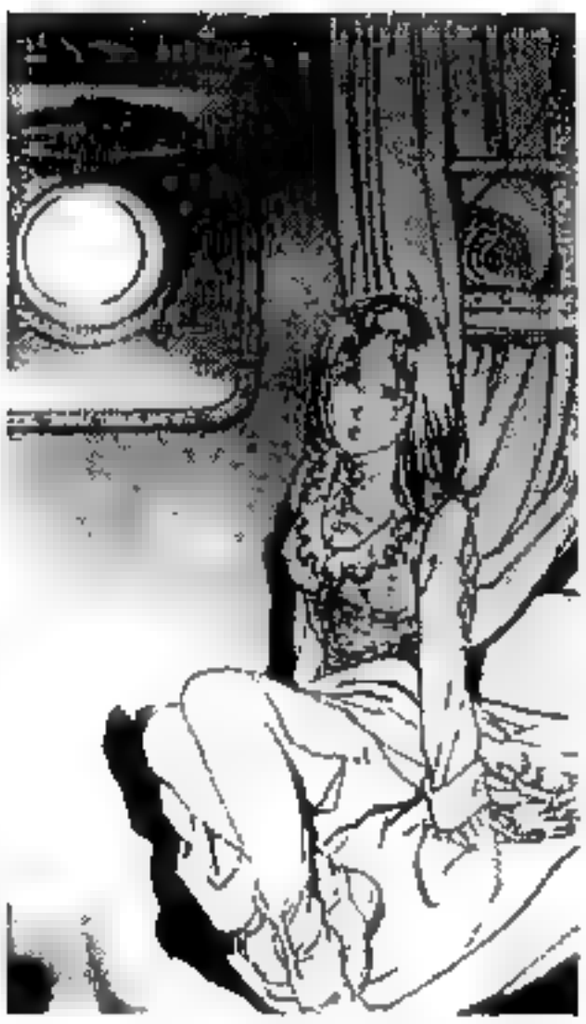

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地球防衛隊

アタゴオルは猫の森
ますむら・ひろし

立って歩く猫たちとヒトが仲良く暮らす
アタゴオル。今日もヒデヨシがひと騒動を起こす!

大航海時代

そして船は行く
雑君保プ

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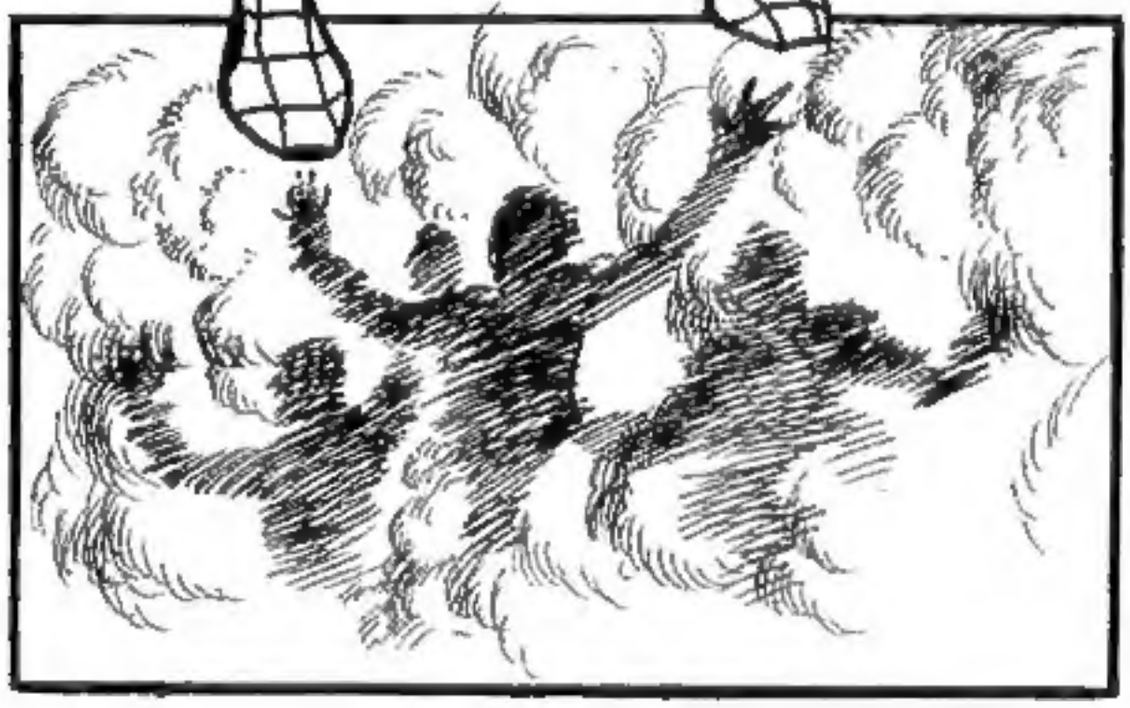
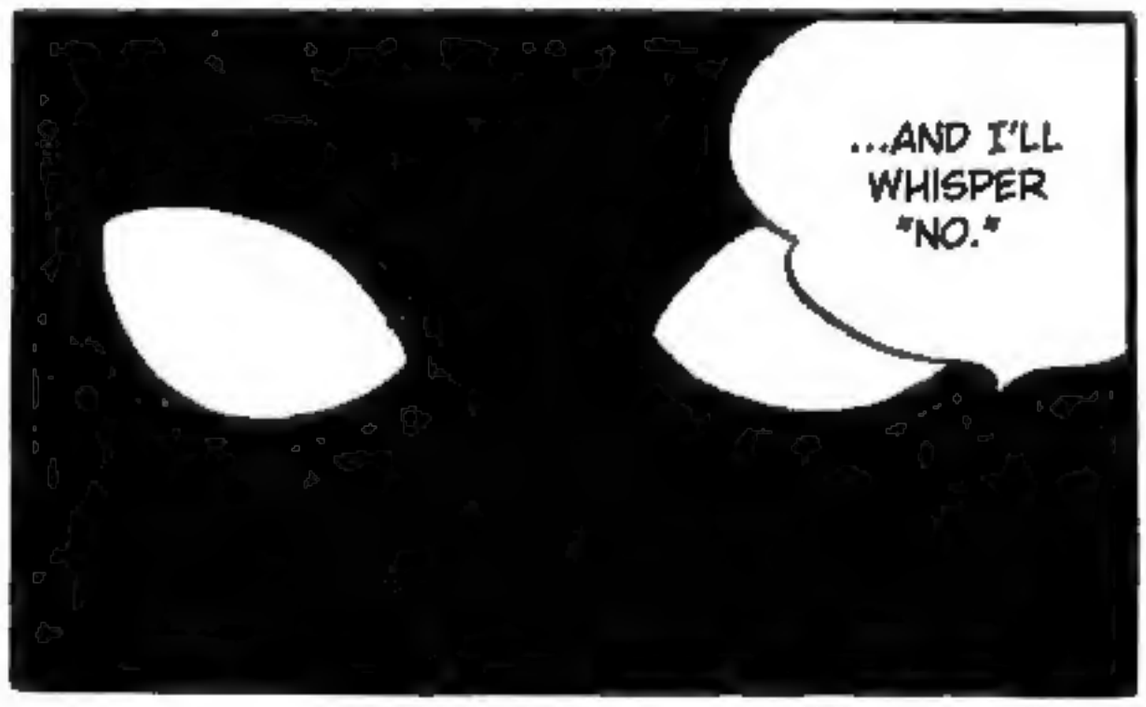
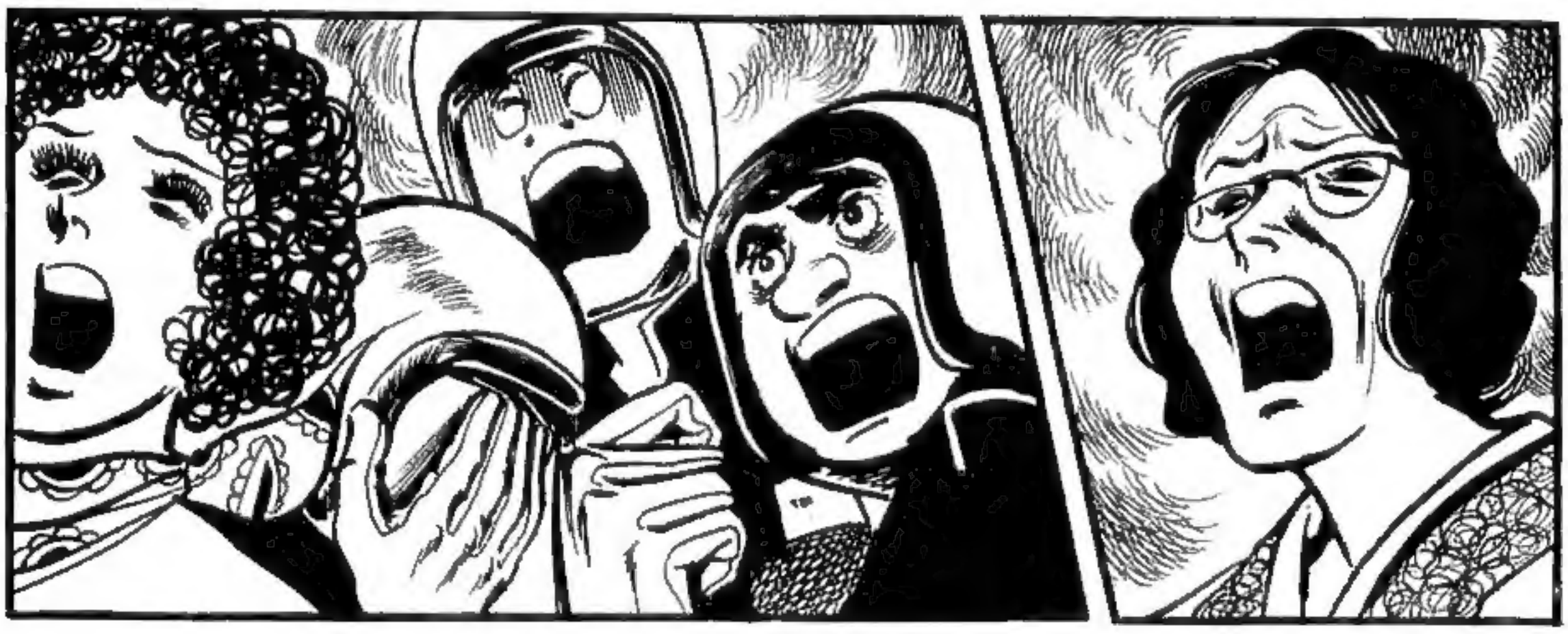
がくもんがーっ!!







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